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Gould to dedicate McLaughlin Science Center Saturday

The public is invited to attend and to tour the new \$4.4 million facility

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Ahead, as you enter Gould Academy's new \$4.4 McLaughlin Science Center, is the sole remaining face from the original Gehring Hall tower clock.

Built upon a technology dating back hundreds of years, the clock for decades guided Gould faculty and students through the hours of their days.

Turn right, and a six-foot bronze "celestial sphere" rests on a stand of Vermont granite, set against windows opening to the skies beyond Bethel.

Based on a concept dating back at least to the time of Christ, such spheres have for millennia helped earth-bound students locate heavenly bodies.

But this sphere also draws on the more modern technologies. Every ten seconds a small computer screen on the wall next to the sphere updates the coordinates of celestial bodies that can be seen through the nearby windows.

To locate one of these, an observer need only take the coordi-

nates from the computer, line up the internal rings of the sphere, then simply look out the window, along the line of sight indicated by the sphere.

This blend of old and new, of art, craft and science, is at the heart of the McLaughlin Science Center, where coming generations of Gould students will begin their own journey into the universe of knowledge.

Beyond the building's sunny atrium are classrooms and laboratories served by the latest technologies, meeting rooms, prep rooms, an auditorium, a greenhouse that includes a totally controlled growing environment, even a well drilled into the aquifer below Bethel.

But throughout the building there are also quiet, out-of-the-traffic-flow cul-de-sacs, lined with comfortable benches, where minds can meet unmediated by devices and technologies.

A gift of appreciation

All this is quite a change for

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Airport stirring at least some private interest

By REBECCA ZICARELLI

The Bethel Regional Airport has seen significant improvements over the last few years. The runway has been dramatically improved, aviation fuel is again available, and there is even an indoor restroom to replace the port-a-potty that was, for years, the only amenity offered to travelers.

But the airport does have problems. Its ability to support itself is uncertain. For example, the anticipated development at the industrial park next to the airport has never materialized.

Airport entrepreneurs

But there are also indications that the improvements might now be stimulating economic development. At least two entrepreneurs have

expressed interest in developing there.

Dr. John Mason of Bethel has proposed an aviation business using existing hangar space that is currently owned by American Ski Company (ASC).

Gregg Webb of Norwell, Mass. would like to build up to 40 new hangars for private use.

Mason has offered to purchase the hangar owned by ASC and develop an aviation business featuring charters, scenic flights, and lessons. Mason's purchase would include the lease ASC holds on the hangar, which at 14 cents a square foot, or \$800 a year, is considerably below market rate.

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Hangar purchase will be on Town Meeting warrant

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel voters will, after all, get to decide if the town should spend \$100,000 to purchase the American Skiing Company hangar at the Bethel Airport.

At a hastily called meeting last Thursday, town selectmen voted 4-1 to put the question on the warrant for a special Town Meeting set for Oct. 7.

Thursday's vote reversed a 4-1 decision three days earlier not to put the question to voters.

Selectmen Reggie Brown, Jack Cross and Dutch Dresser switched their earlier position Thursday, joining Don Bennett (the sole selectman to vote Monday to take the matter to Town Meeting) in the new majority.

The second vote does not mean a majority of the selectmen support the purchase.

In fact, the board members then went on record to vote — unanimously — to recommend that residents reject the proposal.

The new vote, however, did reflect a belief that if the matter were not put to voters, the board would be reneging on an earlier commitment to the Airport Authority.

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Gould Academy

The Head of School and Trustees of Gould Academy

cordially invite the citizens of Bethel

and surrounding communities

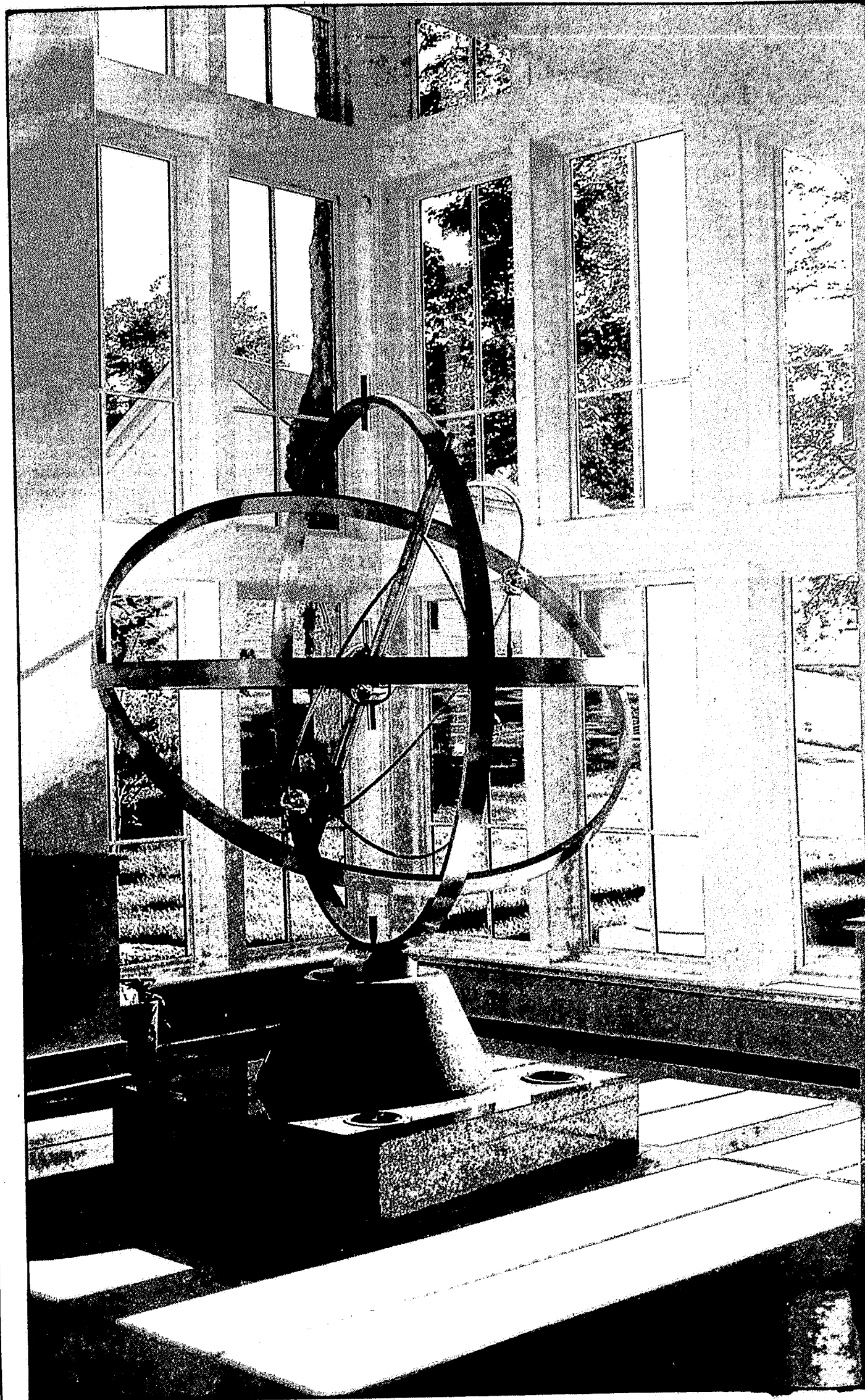
to attend the dedication of

McLaughlin Science Center

at 10:15 a.m.

on Saturday, September 28, 2002

Pointing toward the heavens



The skies beyond the celestial sphere in Gould Academy's new McLaughlin Science Center do more than provide an attractive background. Using coordinates provided on a small computer screen next to the sphere, observers can align the smaller, movable spheres on the inner rings of the celestial sphere to represent the positions of heavenly bodies relative to Bethel. Once aligned properly, the smaller spheres provide a line of sight to any of the bodies available to navigators: the sun, the moon, Jupiter, Mars, Saturn, Venus, or any of the 57 stars bright enough to be seen during morning or evening twilight, the periods of the day when navigators take the readings that tell them where they are on the earth.

Hearing set on closing GW stump dump

By ALISON ALOISIO

Greenwood and Woodstock residents — who last spring faced the closing of the swap shop at their transfer station — are now invited to a hearing Tuesday, Oct. 1, to consider whether their stump dump should be closed.

The two-town Solid Waste Committee has been considering the option because of an expected increase in cost of operation.

Since scheduling the hearing, however, the committee has learned the costs may not be as high as originally thought — and there might be an affordable option for keeping the stump dump open.

Woodstock selectman Steve Bies, a member of the SW Committee, said the Department of Environ-

Costs cited, but they now look lower than first thought

mental Protection is insisting the facility be licensed. Initially, the committee believed that meant a concrete burn pit would have to be installed.

Currently, wood is burned in two soil-based pits every two or three weeks, Bies said.

During the two weekend days

when the dump is open, about a dozen people bring material, according to Paul Beller, the operator. The dump is currently open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays.

New option

Bies said he has now learned G&W should be able to continue to use the existing soil-based pits.

Under that arrangement, the initial licensing would cost about \$3,500, according to estimates from the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments.

G&W would use the money in part to place additional soil material on the site, to serve as a thicker base for the pit. A mineral strip would also be installed around it, Bies said.

Annual costs would include license renewal and reporting, (estimated cost of \$324); testing the ashes from burns for contaminants, such as lead (\$165); and removing the ashes from the site (\$750).

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Household hazardous waste build ups may be drying up

By ALISON ALOISIO

Participation in some area Hazardous Waste Day collections has been staying steady or even declining each year. But that could be a positive sign, say collection organizers.

It may be that people get their stores of waste cleaned up and learn to use the materials more conservatively. In Bethel, volunteer coordinator Walter Hatch said some people are now using greater care in buying products containing potentially hazardous waste.

Some of the most common include pesticides, oil-based paint, oven cleaners and automotive products, among others.

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Letters

PARKING STUDY GROUP

To the Editor:

An ad hoc group met with Town Manager Scott Cole Tuesday afternoon to discuss the parking issue on lower Main Street. It was generally agreed that the most desirable approach would be to expand the scope of the problem to include concerns of wider business and private communities. That does not mean that a particular need cannot be addressed quickly. What it does mean is that a more comprehensive understanding will result in a more satisfactory, long-term solution.

Committee members will be taking measurements, looking for various potential solutions and recommending statements for the eventual warrant to vote. Constructive ideas from Bethel citizens would be greatly appreciated. Co-chairs Lucia Colombaro and I may be reached, respectively, at lcolombaro@starklightstudios.com and sslyon@megalink.net.

Seabury Lyon
Bethel

ABOVE ALL: SAFETY

To the Editor:

I sat quietly at the recent meeting trying to really hear both sides of the issue. You might think that as a new restaurant owner my mind would be solidly on the side of removing the grass strips. Possibly, but consider I also live in that location.

I heard a plea in the name of a dead veteran, as if disagreeing with him may be un-American. Sorry, Stan, got two veterans alive and well in my house, we have three wars between us. I heard another person offer a solution that was totally unworkable and self-serving. Yet another was worried about the trees. Interestingly, no trees would be removed in the process.

It is obvious that every person in support of the "green space" feels passionate about the beauty of the town. The problem is, we are dealing with an issue here that requires a real solution, not just a "my way or no way" approach. Hey, the people who want the strips removed like grass, too. Take a look at the improvement made on lower Main Street by the people who live and do business there. No matter how passionate one is in defense of the green, the issues of parking, snowplowing and safety come back.

Suggestions were made and countered. Buy a lot and make parking. Not in my backyard. Spend more money on plowing. Not with my tax dollars. Three camps emerged: concerned residents, business owners (who are actually concerned residents and perceived differently) and those who were so passionate about their cause that the issues of safety, parking and plowing were put aside and explained away as a future problem. I say we can't ignore the legitimate safety concerns of our citizens and visitors. And I would point out these concerns were voiced by those who live on lower Main Street. For example, grandchildren getting on buses, near misses getting out of parking lots, not being able to see around snow banks, and icy sidewalks. I personally sat at a planning board meeting where every member of the board was in favor of the removal of these strips due to safety concerns.

It's great to be the one who votes for green; normally I am in favor of it, but remember whose front yard we are talking about. As my neighbors, Bill and Nancy White pointed out, a large majority of the people living next to the "green space" want it removed. Let me ask, what is the true essence of a Yankee Town Meeting if it is not to protect the rights of those most affected. How would anyone feel if the solution to this problem turns out to be a parking lot in his or her own backyard?

Though I sat quietly at the meeting, I left solidly on the side of the removal of these grass strips. The safety concerns far outweigh any counter arguments I heard that night.

David Lane
Bethel

PARKING POSITION CLARIFICATION

To the Editor:

I am writing to clarify my position in the heated debate on the parking issue. Last week's issue of The Citizen contained some misleading quotes, as well as omitting the suggestions that I made.

First of all, I did not say that the Planning Board read the riot act to every new restaurant in the area. I said that parking was a big issue for the Planning Board on every application I saw them review. I then said, "If they're (the Planning Board) going to read everyone the riot act, they ought to try and do something about the problem." I was coining a phrase, not making an accusation. This leads me to my actual position on the topic. I simply would like to see some kind of solution for the problem. I think that Taylor's offer is both generous and intelligent. Access to this area was thought to be a concern, and I would be more than happy to have people use the strip of land on the side of our building to access Main Street. I also suggested that clearing some places for parking as well as upgrading the remaining "green space" would be an option. I suggested creating some parking in some of the areas and planting some ornamental trees or gardens in the remaining space. The grass is nice, but trees and flowers would be more beneficial, environmentally, as well as visually.

This issue is obviously of great importance to some in this town, as evidenced by the woman that told my manager that "certain individuals" are boycotting my restaurant on the basis of my views on the parking issue. These are drastic measures to say the least, especially when their knowledge of my views is limited to the minute amount of information presented in your article. I would encourage anyone that feels this strongly about the issue to talk to me and try to convert me to his or her cause rather than go out of his or her way to have a detrimental effect on a business.

I love the town of Bethel, it is a beautiful place and people's concerns about retaining that beauty are not unfounded. Progress is unavoidable in this wonderful state we live in, its beauty will continue to draw new people and businesses. Foresight, planning and insightful solutions like the one offered by the Taylors will be our best tools to ensure that progress is not attained at the expense of the very quality of life that makes this such a great place to live.

Christopher Godin
Granny's Burritos, Bethel

SHUN THE QUICK FIX

To the Editor:

I was happy to read Stan Howe's and the Lyons' letters supporting preserving the green strip on Lower Main in Bethel. I hope that Bethel residents will shun the quick fix and look for more creative solutions that will both truly meet their long-term needs and maintain the beauty of their town. I would like to point out that the centers of Rumford and Norway, and of Gorham, N.H. have all maximized the parking opportunities on their Main streets, yet I still have a far more difficult — and hazardous — time finding a parking space near any given business in all of them than I ever do in Bethel. Freeport, on the other hand, while not nearly as beautiful as Bethel, has moved its parking off its busy main drag and into nearby parking lots. The result? People made to stroll by more businesses than the one they were originally headed for actually go into more businesses than the one they were headed for. Remember also that it was neither Rumford, Norway, nor Gorham that got picked for a scenic sidewalk stroll in the movie, "Myth of Fingerprints"; it was Broad Street, Bethel, with its lovely homes — and green strip.

If Bethel businesses are going to continue to grow, the town is either going to have to come up with a very creative and daring solution to the problem of a small town center needing to accommodate ever larger crowds, or it's going to have increasingly serious traffic and parking problems. My guess is that Bethel citizens, being about as creative and daring as the rest of us, are inevitably going to have increasingly serious traffic and parking problems. The real issue then is this: Will the town wisely preserve the rare and valuable beauty everyone enjoys today, or will it slowly chip away at Bethel's unique appeal even as it evolves into a town whose Main Street, however modified, can no longer function as its primary parking lot?

Jon Starr
Rumford

THE ROUTE 120 PROBLEM IS NOT THE TRUCKS

To the Editor:

I am writing in response to the letter concerning the intersection at Route 120 and Main Street, Roxbury Pond. Barbara Adams says a sign should be put here before something dangerous happens.

I have lived on Roxbury Pond Road above this intersection for 10 years. I would like to point out the fact that not only is there a stop sign, but also two yield signs already there. They have been there for the last five years or so. The stop sign is as you turn left from the pond to go toward the notch. The two yield signs are on the right side of the road both going to and coming from the pond. The danger of this intersection is that most people do not know who is supposed to yield to whom. Everyone assumes that heading straight to or from the pond has the right of way. This is not true. A secondary road, like Main Street, must yield right of way to the major road. Even though Route 120 is turning, this is the major road, and has the right of way first.

Yes, I agree there are an awful lot of logging trucks, dump trucks and tractor-trailer trucks that travel that notch. The problem isn't these trucks or the curves. The road was recently tarred and is wide enough. Most of them are so heavily loaded that they are unable to get any speed. The real problem is vehicle traffic right here on the straight between Gallant's Furniture and Ellis Pond Variety. People drive like they're on a speedway. I have two children. There are also two signs that say slow, children playing. One is on the right just before you come to Gallant's Furniture's warehouse, coming down, and the other also on the right as you pass the variety store opposite Weston's driveway. A sign doesn't do any good when no one is paying any attention.

Karen Pierce
Roxbury

STATE POLICE SHOOT-OUT IN GILEAD

To the Editor:

It's been a gorgeous, peaceful quiet here in Gilead — that is until the shooting started. It seems that the gravel pit next door is being used to host a shooting party. I suggested my husband grab his gun and go over to get some practice before hunting season starts but he didn't want to go "underdressed" — the dress of choice for this party is automatic weapons and semi-automatic weapons. The guest list is state police from all over New England. Gee, why weren't the neighbors invited? I'd call the police but they are the police. Isn't it against the law to shoot guns so close to residences? If it's against the law, why is the law able to break the law? I can call the state but all the numbers get me is a machine-taped menu of choices that don't apply. Don't any of the New England states have a proper shooting facility for honing their skills? Why haven't property owners in the immediate vicinity been advised of the gathering? How is that the shooting school is in a neighbors' sandlot filling his gravel full of thousands of rounds of lead while my son's sophomore class is building team skills at the military training field? I'm confused. Isn't the Department of Environmental Protection a state-run office to keep pollutants out of our local environment? What happens when the state catches the state breaking the law? Who do I call to report yet another day of disturbing the peace? Will the Bethel Police come to my aid? Will they enforce proper setback requirements when the kids making all that noise are thirty carloads of state troopers? Who gave them permission anyway?

I'm just a single little voice out here on the Bog Road asking the million questions that come to mind as I try to ignore the war zone in my backyard and tell myself to be quiet...its the Police. They know what they are doing. They have permission. They can't be shooting the ground full of lead — not in 2002. As a good American citizen I should keep my mouth shut and trust that all that ammunition being shot into the ground is going to help me somehow. After all — who's buying those rounds? Just us quiet little taxpayers who support the country who supports the state who supports the state police who shoots the lead in the ground that Dennis Wilson owns. At least children playing war games in the sandbox are taught to clean up after themselves...and if they don't — no snack. So who's the teacher here and who is going to go into that sand pit and say no doughnuts for you unless you clean up after yourselves.

Elise Caswell
Gilead

BETHEL ANTIQUE SHOW AND SALE

To the Editor:

The fifth annual Bethel Antique Show and Sale will be held Saturday, Oct. 12, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Telstar Regional High School in Bethel and will feature antique dealers from around New England.

Shoppers will find a variety of antiques and collectibles including Old Ivory China, linens, Victorian furniture, hand-colored photos, primitives, glass baskets, china and toys.

Antique dealers interested in booth space for the show should contact the chamber office at 824-2282.

This show is open to the public. Admission is \$2.50 at the door (\$2 with published ad in hand).

Robin Zinchuk
Executive Director, Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

CPS BOX TOPS PROGRAM

To the Editor:

The students at Crescent Park School will again be participating in the "Campbell's Labels for Education Program" and the "General Mills Box Tops for Education Program" this year.

Labels from any Campbell's products qualify: Campbell's Soups, Chunky Soups, Home Style Soups, Baked Beans, Franco-American Spaghetti-O's, Ravioli, V-8 Juices, Pepperidge Farms breads, crackers and cookies, etc. Last year we collected over 15,000 labels and earned sports equipment. The Campbell's program ends May 1, 2003.

Box tops from many General Mills products qualify. Send in the "General Mills Box Tops for Education" symbol from cereals, Betty Crocker and Pillsbury products, Fruit Snacks, Pop-Secret popcorn, Nature Valley Granola Bars, Golden Graham Treats and Yoplait Yogurt multipacks. Each box top is worth 10 cents. Last year, we earned \$776. Our goal this year is \$1,000. The General Mills program ends March 31, 2003.

A complete list of the qualifying products is available at the school office.

Please drop off or send the labels and box tops to Crescent Park School, 19 Crescent Lane, Bethel, ME 04217. There are collection boxes at the school and at the Bethel Foodliner. Thanks for supporting the students at Crescent Park School by saving the labels and box tops.

Diana Witt and Caroline V. Gould
Coordinators

WES SPORTS BOOSTERS THANKS

To the Editor:

On behalf of the students of Woodstock Elementary School, we would like to express our appreciation to the Greenwood-Woodstock All-Sports Boosters for their donation of wonderful new uniforms for our athletic teams. At our Open House on Sept. 18, members of the Boosters presented 30 new reversible uniform shirts to our students. We had recently changed our mascot so our old uniforms could not be used. The Woodstock students will proudly wear these new uniforms as they play soccer, basketball and softball this year.

This group of parents has worked hard since its formation last spring. The Boosters' efforts are evident as you drive by the ball fields on Route 26 and see the many improvements that have been made as a result of their work. The children are so fortunate to have such very supportive parents. At school, we see the positive effects of that support on a daily basis.

We are very grateful for their donation, and for the many other ways they show their support to the children.

Jolene Littlehale
For Woodstock Elementary School

Hangar

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Referring to a Sept. 3 selectmen's meeting at which that commitment was made, Bennett said: "I read through the minutes and it said one thing. Five of us sat here and put our hands up."

Brown agreed. "We're not treating the Airport Authority right by telling them one week we're going to do it and two weeks later we're not going to do it," he said. "It seems stupid to go through the

whole thing, but I think we initiated our own stupidity."

The initial vote not to put the hangar purchase on the Town Meeting warrant was, in part, in reaction to a public hearing earlier that evening — at which members of the general public who attended appeared very much against having the town purchase the hangar.

On Thursday, Dresser worried that the Town Meeting would be a

larger reflection of that same feeling.

"I'm an old pilot. I'm very much in favor of that airport," he said. "I'd love to see some honest-to-God activity out there, and I think this is going to be a very negative move. I think what it's going to do is gin up all sorts of hate and discontent. You're going to have a 100 to 3 vote and have stirred up an unnecessary mess."

Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN BROWN

10 years ago: An early evening crash of a Piper Cherokee on Mount Will took the lives of State Trooper Leroy W. Gray Jr. of Trenton and his wife, Brenda Mills of Bethel. Trooper Gray had previously been stationed in the local area.

Bethel police called a wrecker to pull a vehicle stuck on Main Street. They later barricaded the street due to extensive flooding.

REA Design Associates/Architects were approved by the SAD44 board of directors as designers of the addition at Crescent Park School.

It was reported that Bob Beyer of Lynn, Mass., had shot a 450-pound bear in the Grover Hill area a few weeks earlier.

Birth: Kristen Michelle Madden.
Deaths: Brenda M. Gray, Leroy W. Gray Jr., John James Wight.

20 years ago: Over 400 alumni, spouses and friends attended the annual festivities sponsored by the Gould Academy Alumni Association, which also made the following presentations: Faculty Award, William H. Cousins; Nathaniel Tucker True Award, Headmaster Emeritus Edmond J. Vachon; and the Alumni of the Year Award, Stanley R. Howe.

The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital donated a slumber seat for use in the hospital's pediatric ward.

Birth: Renee Lynn Royer.
Deaths: Mrs. Nell Valentine, Miss Florence Blake, John O. Douglass, Carmeno A. Onofrio, John O. Brown.

30 years ago: Game Warden Richard E. Varney of Readfield, formerly of Bethel, drowned when the Fish and Game Department helicopter he was operating crashed into Lake Maranacook in Winthrop. He was a 16-year member of the Warden Service.

Telstar gridsters defeated Monmouth Academy, 19-0, as Doug Brooks collected a pair of touchdowns and Wayne Cummings one.

Gould Academy seniors Renetta Nobles and Kevin Jenness were taking the fall semester of their senior year at Verneville, France.

Births: Melinda Kay Page, Joshua Chamberlin, Glenn Rodney Bowden, Elizabeth Sullivan.

Deaths: Mrs. Verl M. McCarthy, Willard F. Thayer, Richard E. Varney.

40 years ago: The town of Bethel had received 52 rolls of new snow fence and a carload of salt. The old snow fence was in bad shape but would be used as long as it held together.

Mrs. Eda Perkins of Andover was one of 21 Practical Nurses to graduate following four months of pre-clinical training and eight months of clinical mostly at Sisters Hospital in Waterville.

An estimated \$1,000 worth of cut and uncut gems were stolen from McCrillis' gem and mineral store in Byron.

Birth: Pamela Bancroft.
Death: Harold L. Bartlett.

50 years ago: Carolyn Tibbetts of South Bethel, an eighth-grader at Crescent Park School, was severely injured when struck in the face by a softball bat on the school grounds.

About 700 local people received free chest X-rays before the equipment broke down. Nearly as many were reportedly turned away after the equipment was out of order. It was believed that the X-ray truck would return in a few weeks.

Deaths: Amy V. Bennett, Joan Margaret Hillier.

60 years ago: The Bethel post office was moved down Main Street to the Naimey Block.

Gould Academy started the transportation of day students with school-owned buses.

Fuel oil was rationed and its use cut by 25 percent.

Stuart Cross received bad face burns in a tractor explosion.

70 years ago: The A. G. Smith house in Mayville was destroyed by fire of unknown origin.

Laurence Lord leased the garage and equipment of Herrick Bros. Co. on lower Main Street.

80 years ago: Marjorie Jackson, Thelma Rabideau and Avis Cottrell were cut by flying glass and shaken up when the Ford coupe in which they were riding left the road at Mill Brook bridge on the West Bethel road and landed 12 feet down, wheels up.

W.S. Wight was organizing singing classes in Bethel and vicinity.

100 years ago: The abutment of the "toll" bridge was damaged by a log jam and was being repaired under the direction of S.T. Twitchell.

Fred B. Merrill entered Harvard Law School.

Concrete steps were being installed in front of the Cole Block.

Deaths: Phineas Hastings, Seth Wight.

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Briefly

D.A. Wilson gets track job

WOODSTOCK—The SAD44 School Board Monday accepted a bid of \$474,638 from D.A. Wilson to build a new track at Telstar high/middle schools. Two other bids were submitted — \$830,785 by Pratt & Sons of the Portland area, and \$796,100 by Steve Swasey Excavation of Andover. The estimated cost of the track prior to its approval by voters in June was \$449,000, with a \$45,000 contingency amount, according to Bruce Powell, SAD44 business manager. Engineer Jim Sysko of Newry will serve as the clerk of the works for the project, district officials said. The project is expected to begin within a few weeks, with much of the preliminary work to be done "before snow flies," said Supt. David Murphy.

Youths charged in burglaries

GREENWOOD—Two 14-year-olds from Norway were arrested Sunday and charged with burglary after a property owner caught one of them kicking in a trailer door. Duane Hue's own home on Patch Mountain Road has been vandalized and ransacked several times, but no one had ever been caught. Then, on Sunday, he spotted a youth kicking at the door of a neighbor's trailer. A second youth fled. As Hue walked the first boy back to his home to call police, the second boy appeared. When Hue went inside to call, the boys ran to get their all-terrain vehicle. Hue then backed his vehicle across the only exit, and called 911. The boys confessed to Sheriff's Dept. officers, who said they believe the youths were involved in eight burglaries in the area. Firearms had been stolen and used to shoot holes in some of the properties. The two young men were charged with one count of Class A burglary, because of the use of the firearm, and four counts of Class C burglary, theft and criminal mischief.

Hanover to dedicate office

HANOVER—The town of Hanover will hold a dedication for its Town Office Wednesday, Oct. 9 at 3 p.m. Refreshments will be served. The office building and site were donated by Mead Corp. The town now has a centralized place to carry on business. It provides both office and meeting space for town officials and a community meeting room.

Get a child tag for the fair

FRYEBURG—The Oxford County Sheriff's Office and the Fryeburg Fair Association have teamed up again this year to provide Lost Child Tags during the seven days of the upcoming Fryeburg Fair, which runs from Sept. 29 through Oct. 6. The tags have been a valuable resource to both the parents and fair security, according to Sheriff Skip Herrick. The recovery time for lost or misplaced children has been decreased considerably. When parents and children enter the fair grounds, parents can request a tag. They will be directed to the location to pick up the tag, fill in the information and put it in their child's pocket.

Work begins on stretch of 219

WEST PARIS—The Maine Department of Transportation Monday began an improvement project on a 12-mile stretch of Route 219. It begins in the vicinity of the intersection with the Abbott and Morse Hill roads, and extends east to the vicinity of the intersection of routes 140 and 219 in Hartford Center. In some areas, MDOT will completely reconstruct the road. In others, recycled pavement will be used to build up the existing roadway, or gravel will be placed over existing pavement. A new layer of pavement will then be laid. The contract for the project, awarded to Pike Industries of Lewiston for \$4.6 million, calls for completion of the work in late fall of 2003. This fall work will focus on installing new culverts and other drainage improvements. Drivers are urged to be alert for work zones.

Hearing on river reclassifications

AUGUSTA—A hearing on a proposal to reclassify some state waters and change water quality standards will take place Thursday, Oct. 3 at 4 p.m. at the Augusta Civic Center. Upgrades are proposed by the Maine Department of Environmental Protection for waters in the Androscoggin River basin from northern and central Oxford County to Franklin, Androscoggin and Cumberland counties, as well as elsewhere around the state. Some of the proposed upgrades include: Class A to AA: Magalloway River and tributaries above Azischohos Lake (35 miles); Little Magalloway River and tributaries (22 miles); Androscoggin River tributaries and Wild River at Gilead (6 miles in Maine); Class B to A upgrades: Little Androscoggin River tributaries Andrews Brook in Woodstock (6 miles); Black Brook, Woodstock (5 miles); Cushman Stream, Woodstock (3 miles); and Meadow Brook, Woodstock (4 miles). Written comments on the proposal will be accepted until 5 p.m. on Oct. 15. They may be addressed to David Courtemanch, Maine DEP, State House No. 17, Augusta 04333.

August unemployment down

AUGUSTA—The seasonally-adjusted unemployment rate for Maine fell to 4.0 percent in August, down from 4.2 percent in July and 4.2 percent a year ago, according to the Maine Department of Labor. The Maine rate for August of 4.0 percent was well below the national rate of 5.7 percent. "The unemployment rate and number of jobs were little changed in August," said Commissioner Valerie Landry. "The unemployment rate has been at or near 4.0 percent each month in 2002." Other New England states reporting their seasonally-adjusted unemployment rates for August include Vermont, 4.2 percent, and New Hampshire, 4.7 percent. The adjusted national rate for August was 5.7 percent, down from 5.9 percent in July and up from 4.9 percent in August 2001.

Change license address online

AUGUSTA—Drivers may now change their address on their driver's license and vehicle registration online. The new service is available under the "How Do I?" section of the state of Maine's Web site www.maine.gov or on the secretary of state's site at www.sosonline.org. Maine law requires the Bureau of Motor Vehicles be notified within 10 days if a person's address or name changes. The online service may not be used to update a name change. Anyone wishing to change a name must visit a BMV branch office.

Bottle drive to benefit field hockey

BETHEL—The Telstar High School field hockey team plans a bottle drive Saturday, Sept. 28 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the SAD44 bus garage. For pickup, please call 824-2497 no later than Friday.

Visitor center for proposed park

WINTER HARBOR—If Roxanne Quimby's latest endeavor goes as planned, a new visitor center will be erected for a 3.2-million-acre park that doesn't exist. And there's no guarantee it ever will. But the visitor center on the main tourist route into Greenville reflects Quimby's optimism that the idea of a national park in Maine's north woods is so compelling that it must eventually become a reality. Quimby, the sole owner of an all-natural cosmetics business called Burt's Bees, already has put \$8 million into land acquisitions for the park. She and her company have purchased more than 15,000 acres since her effort began two years ago. That total is soon expected to reach 20,000 acres, and Quimby intends to earmark an additional \$2 million a year to expand her holdings. Quimby, 52, plans to open her architect-designed visitor center next summer in Monson, a popular stop for hikers on the Appalachian Trail. It would provide a tangible link to the Maine Woods National Park concept, which has fueled intense debate since a Massachusetts-based group called Restore the North Woods introduced it eight years ago. Quimby envisions the center as an energy-efficient building with plenty of natural light and, perhaps, solar paneling. It would be a spot where visitors could pick up trail maps and information about the proposed park.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Monday, Sept. 16
At 8 p.m. police received a report of suspicious activity on Baker Road. Police found that subjects had been hitting golf balls into Songo Pond from the area of the beach. There were no signs of any damage.

Wednesday, Sept. 18
At 4:22 p.m. police received a report that two tractor trailer rigs had failed to yield at the Route 2 overpass. Gorham, N.H. police were notified.

Thursday, Sept. 19
Police served John P. Ferland, 54, of Bethel a summons for failure to report an accident by the quickest means.

Sunday, Nov. 22
At 7:54 p.m. police received a report of a loud party/music on the Flat Road. The subjects were asked to keep the music down, and they complied.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summons, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

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CORRECTION
College degree ranking is low:
An article in last week's Citizen on the education summit should have said that Cathy Newell said the state's high school completion rate was very high, but Maine ranks very low in the number of people with college degrees of any sort.

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Center

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Gould science faculty and students, who until this year had been making do in small, out-of-date classrooms on the upper floors of Hanscom Hall.

It looked for a long time like they would stay there, said John Todd, Gould director of development.

The academy recognized the insufficiency of science space, but the price of a new science center appeared out of reach — so plans were made to at least renovate the Hanscom Hall facilities.

But this was a solution that satisfied no one, Todd said, including Glen McLaughlin, a "venture philanthropist" who had recently left the Gould Board of Trustees.

McLaughlin and his wife, Ellen, are the parents of Gould graduate Glen W. McLaughlin, valedictorian of the Class of 1988.

The younger McLaughlin went on to earn a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from Carnegie Mellon University and a Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering from Stanford.

He is now a highly successful inventor, who has designed a number of high-tech tools for use in human medicine, including an ablation catheter tip used to correct heart arrhythmias.

His parents credit Gould's influence on their son with much of his eventual scientific success.

"We sent Gould a talented but shy child lacking in self-esteem, and he returned to us a confident and accomplished young man," wrote the parents.

In appreciation for that influence,



THE MCLAUGHLIN SCIENCE CENTER at Gould Academy. The two-story, 22,000 square foot building will be dedicated Saturday morning. Facilities in the new center include five large lab/classrooms, two computer labs, an auditorium/lecture hall seating 56, as well as an aquarium, network systems center, and prep, conference and faculty rooms. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

the McLaughlins made the \$2 million challenge grant that was the cornerstone of the science center fundraising campaign.

The gift launched an intense year-long effort during which Gould parents, alumni and trustees raised the balance necessary to make the science center a reality.

Drawing on local talent

Also contributing to that realization were a number of Bethel-area people and businesses.

Bethel resident Jim Reuter, of Smith Reuter Lull Architects, was the principal architect on the project.

Jim Sysko of Gould served as clerk of the works, and also installed several innovating additions himself, with the help of local welder Rick Young.

Carpenters Donald Isham and Randall Brook lent a hand on various projects inside and outside the building.

D.A. Wilson did the earthwork, and Bruce Korhonen and Jennifer Hayes handled the landscaping.

Kevin McMahon did the front porch brickwork, and Richard Duka of Hanover Iron Works created the chandeliers under the portico.

The general contractor for the project was Jack Kelley (Gould 1961) of Nickerson & O'Day Constructors of Bangor.

The celestial sphere in the atrium was the idea of Dutch Dresser, associate head of school, who also acted as chief designer.

Jim Sysko rigged the system that positioned the granite base and then the celestial sphere itself.

Rick Slattery was the design engineer.

Jack Nordahl wrote the computer program that tracks the heavenly bodies visible through the windows.

Noted author to keynote Saturday's dedication

The McLaughlin Science Center will be dedicated at 10:15 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 28.

The keynote speaker will be Dava Sobel, N.Y. Times science writer and author of the best-selling non-fiction works "Longitude" and "Galileo's Daughter."

The public is invited. John Todd said Gould hopes the new science center will become a resource not just for the academy, but for the wider community as well.

Stump dump

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Currently the ashes are not removed from the site. If a concrete pit were installed, removal of the ashes would still be required. Figures for the cost of a concrete pit were not compiled.

If the dump were to be closed, Bies said individual property owners would probably have to burn material themselves or take it to a commercial operation. The committee did not discuss possible collection by the towns of material lection by the towns of material for commercial disposal, he said.

Vern Maxfield, Woodstock's town manager, said at last week selectmen's meeting that he has heard from some people opposed to closing the dump. The idea, he said, "is drawing poison arrows."

The hearing will begin at 7 p.m. at the Woodstock Elementary School.

Recycling

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"They're more careful not to buy more than they need," he said. Some also figure out a way to use everything up, even if it means passing materials along to a neighbor to finish.

He said the number of people bringing items for disposal varies each year, but has averaged about two dozen. And those may include people bringing things for their neighbors or friends.

Bethel's annual collection day is about six years old, and as in other area towns, will take place again Saturday, Sept. 28.

In Woodstock, Steve Bies has handled the collection for five years. In that time, "It's decreased steadily," he said, again because people have gotten their garages cleaned out or are more careful about acquiring materials in the first place.

In Andover, where the collection day is three years old, selectman Joan Carney said participation has increased each year, as people become aware of it. "We go down (to the disposal center) with a big truckful," she said.

Carney said summer visitors to Andover make up a large portion of the participation.

Identification of materials

Hatch said some people bring materials that turn out not to be considered hazardous. (He suggests they consult a flyer that is available in the Town Office, and if they're still not sure, bring the item for the collectors to check.)

To identify hazardous materials, people should look for the words: *poison, corrosive, toxic, volatile, flammable, caution, danger or warning*, etc., on the label.

Hatch said the most common non-hazardous item brought in is latex paint. The paint can be taken directly to the regular transfer station disposal. But he said, attendants request people allow the leftover paint to dry out first.

Collection dates for Bethel-area towns will be Sept. 28 at the following times and locations: Andover, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the transfer station; Bethel/Hanover/Newry, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the transfer station; Greenwood, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the fire station; Woodstock 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the town garage; and West Paris, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the transfer station (preregistration required in West Paris: 674-2701).

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Airport

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The town of Bethel has right of first refusal on the hangar. Bethel voters will decide on Oct. 7 if the town, rather than Mason, should purchase the ASC hangar for \$100,000. (See sidebar.)

Another potential developer, Gregg Webb of Norwell, Mass., told the authority at the Sept. 18 meeting that he would like to build 40 hangars at the facility.

"I'm looking to put hangars up for people who would like to come to Bethel in the winter, use an airport, and not worry about scraping ice off their wings on Sunday evening or Monday morning," Webb told The Citizen.

"It's a great spot to have for people who own homes here and would like to be able to park planes in their own garages," he said.

Webb said he wanted to purchase

land adjacent to the airport for construction of up to 40 hangars. But he said the Airport Authority board members told him the land, which is owned by the town, has FAA restrictions on it, and the town is unable to sell the property.

Webb told The Citizen he would be interested in leasing the land, "for a smaller project, provided that the lease was for 40 or 50 years." He would also consider purchasing privately owned land adjacent to the airport, if the FAA would approve such an arrangement.

Webb said he owns three businesses in Massachusetts, and has done a similar project at a marina. "Marinas and airports have a lot in common. If you have a nicer marina, you have nicer boats. If you have a nicer airport, you have nicer planes."

If all the hurdles can be worked out, Webb said he plans to build as soon as possible. "I'm ready to go whenever they are," he said.

The airport budget

The Bethel Regional Airport's operating expenses are about \$32,000 a year. This year, and for the next two years, the greatest airport-related expense is \$14,700 per year to pay off a loan to purchase a new fuel tank.

Snow removal is the next largest expense, costing about \$12,000 annually. Administrative costs are about \$1,200. Other operating expenses — including mowing, maintenance, heating, water, and electricity — cost about \$10,000 a year. Insurance and legal fees are approximately \$5,000 a year.

The airport's only significant income is from the lease of the

Gamm building to ASC. Last year, the airport earned \$56,000 from the lease. Cole said the current year's income would be \$58,000.

There are two years remaining on the Gamm lease. It is currently unclear if ASC will opt to renew the lease.

Hangar income

The Bethel Airport Authority views the lease income from the hangar purchase as a way to increase the airport's income. In a letter to the Budget Committee, the authority estimated a new hangar lease agreement would generate about \$9,000 to \$10,000 annually.

But the authority does not yet have tenants lined up who are willing to pay that price.

The authority's estimate of the hangar lease income, based on their

own numbers, may be overly optimistic.

The letter to the Budget Committee says: "A fair market value of this land runs from 35 cents to 50 cents per square foot per year for the footprint of the building and another 5 cents per square foot for land surrounding the hangar." The hangar is 6,400 square feet. At the highest market rate of 50 cents a square foot, the hangar's lease value would be \$3,200 per year.

Should voters reject the purchase, the lease, along with the hangar, would belong to John Mason when he closes the hangar sale with ASC.

The airport would continue to receive the \$800 lease fee from Mason. Should voters approve the purchase, Cole said the \$100,000 to pay for the purchase would come from the town's undesignated fund.

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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston
Ruth Feeney was in Wellesley, Mass., last week and attended the Boston Lyric Opera performance of "Carmen" on the Boston Common. Hannah Feeney, eight-year-old daughter of John and Wendy Feeney, performed in the children's portion of the production. The children appeared in the first and last scenes. Admission was free and the performance a gift to the city by the BLO, to promote interest of the general public in the opera. An audience of 5,000 was expected. On Friday, there were 60,000 and on Saturday, 75,000. There were screens erected around the common so that the crowd could see the action and read the lines. It seems the best things in life truly are free, and this was an idea that achieved its purpose in every sense.

Mary Paine arrived home on Friday after being at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway for knee surgery. Guests at her home on the weekend were Linda Jackson of Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada; Dennis Titman of Lisbon Falls; and Dick Paine of Keene, N.H.

Brad Barker was admitted to Stephens Memorial Hospital last Thursday, and at this writing was planning to go home.

DeeDee Kellogg has been a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

The Gould Alumni Girls met on Thursday for a birthday luncheon at Pat's Pizzeria. Those attending were: honor guests Libby Bane and Kay McMillin, Ginny Hutchins, Josie Monahan, Ginny Keniston, Mary Keniston, Arlene Brown, Mary Eichel, and Bobby Kuzkyk.

Rhonda Cummings Buker won the Bethel Library raffle quilt.

Visitors with Hi and Mary Lou Berry at Lone Pine last week were Maureen and James Lester and Marion Todesca from the Boston area. Mary Lou's daughter, Rhonda Dalton and husband, Brian, from Florida are spending this week with them.

On Sunday evening, Marjorie and Jim Osgood hosted a family birthday dinner for Elise Helen Berry and her grandfather, Hi Berry. A great time was had by all.

On Friday, Sept. 20, Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge celebrated its first birthday with seven full tables. Winners north-south were: first, Larry Holmes and Richard Balian; second, Eileen Potvin and Della Starbird; third, Sue Ellis and Don Johnson. East-west winners were: first, Eric and Marilyn Sahlberg; second, William Bowman and Winston Rosendahl; third, Mike and Pat Quinn.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester
The next several weeks are going to be busy in Hanover with lots going on. Here is a preview. Mark your calendar so you do not miss anything.

The weekend of Sept. 27 through Sept. 29 is the Hanover Fall Camp-out and Potluck Supper at Stony Brook Recreation. The event starts at 4 p.m. on Friday for campers to set up followed by a campfire and SongFest. On Saturday, there is a scheduled canoe/kayak trip in the Androscoggin River in the morning with games in the afternoon followed by a potluck supper featuring bean hole beans. Another campfire and songs that night, and Sunday it's pick up and go home. Non-campers are invited to join in any or all of the events. Shirley and Bruce Powell have made this opportunity available for everyone to enjoy.

The Hanover Planning Board is scheduled to meet at the Town Office on Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 7 p.m.

Oct. 5 and 6 is when the Yard Sale/Bake Sale to help fund the Gardner Roberts Memorial Library moving project will be held. The sale will run from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. each day. Anyone who wishes may rent a table for \$15 to sell their own items. Items for the sale are being solicited from everyone. Items may be left at the Town Office during office hours. For more information, contact Vicky Fimiani at 364-4080.

The next Hanover Community Watch Meeting will be Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 6 p.m. at the Hanover Town Office. There will be a special meeting with a demonstration by a State Police Canine Unit. It will be a good meeting to introduce your children to the Neighborhood Watch Program. Residents from the area are invited to attend.

The dedication of the Hanover Town Office and Boat Ramp facilities is scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 9, at 3 p.m. Come and visit the site and meet with some of the officials who helped make it possible.

Cindy Graham and her son, Mark, from Roxbury, Mass., vacationed in the Hanover area last week. Usually they stay for at least a week, but this year they left early, leaving the loons and moose in exchange for a shopping spree at North Conway. Before leaving, they had a cookout that was attended by Louise Worcester, Brian Worcester, David Worcester, Bob Brown, Bill and Gail Worcester and Donna and Clem Worcester. Mark is a good cook.

New temporary office hours have been posted for the Hanover Town Office. Because of a staff shortage, the office will be open on Monday, 5 to 6:30 p.m.; closed Tuesday; Wednesday, 2 to 5 p.m.; Thursday, 5 to 9 p.m. and Friday, noon to 4 p.m. As usual the office is closed on weekends and holidays. It is expected that expanded hours will resume later in the fall when the staff shortage is resolved. We wish Kelly the best with her "project."

The Hanover Town Office will be closed all day Friday, Sept. 27, because no one is available to work that day.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer
Sonny Hastings went canoeing on the Allagash and had a good trip.

Helen Hallman of Massachusetts visited Arlene Harrington Sept. 17 to 20.

Arlene Harrington and Ellen Hallman visited Carl and Dori Hallman and children, Heather and Whitney, of Durham on Sept. 20 and 21.

Peter Haines and Lee Swan of Newry went to Clayton Lake and Ashland from Sept. 22 to 24.

The Overland Jeeps had a pig roast at Donny Walker's on Sept. 20 and 21.

Danielle Bernier of Duluth, Minn., visited Andre and Flossie Bernier from Sept. 16 to 21. Danielle likes Minnesota; it is much like Maine for the seasons.

Alder River Grange will have installation of officers on Oct. 11 with Pleasant Valley Grange at Pleasant Valley. There is a 6:30 p.m. supper and a 7:30 p.m. meeting. Alder River's officers are: master, James Lowe, overseer, Peter Haines; lecturer, Dot Boyce; steward, Alvin Stevens; assistant steward, Brenda Dyer; chaplain, Betsey Foster; treasurer, Stanley Howe; secretary, Nancy Mercer; gatekeeper, George Haines; Ceres, Beth Myers; Pomona, Lynn Mason-Courtney; Flora, Nancy Thew; and musician, Dot Canwell.

I must agree with Stan Howe,

that the lower Main Street with the green spaces presents a nice look to anyone as they cross the railroad tracks to come into town. I do believe if the trees are cut and grass covered over it will give a rather sterile look to the town. It's beautiful the way it is; leave it alone.

Have a nice week. God Bless America.

North Newry



by Gil Seeley
By the time you read this, Doris Parent will probably be back home from the hospital

because of a broken hip. We wish her well and a good recovery.

Some of my guardian angels have been giving me some tomatoes, mmm good. Thank you very much.

About 200 or more relatives and friends gathered at the Newry Grange Hall Saturday afternoon, Sept. 14, for a party on Pastor Rodney Hanscom's 80th birthday with a special written greeting by Gil Seeley, a thank-you prayer by the pastor, a tasty feast and a beautiful cake with the pastor's picture on it taken when he was 17 years old. It was a great party with lots of fun, laughter and noise. We wish him good health and a cheerful future.

Andover



by Joan Stinson Carney
Another first in the exciting life of Joan Carney — I went to my first ever concert last Friday night. Janet Farrington and I went to see Neil Diamond at the Portland Civic Center. And after I got over

my panic attack because of sooooo many people, and the height of our seats, I really had a good time. The show was terrific and I am ready to do it again. I can also recommend the buffet at the Great Wall Chinese Food Restaurant in the Maine Mall; God, that food was good.

The retreat held by the Calvary Church in Andover was a huge success. Some of the ladies of the church went on an overnighter at Concord Pond last weekend. My mother wants to thank everyone who went out of their way to make sure she had a good time.

Don't forget that this Saturday, Sept. 28, is Hazardous Waste Collection Day at the transfer station between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

I suppose everyone has seen that videotape about the mother beating her poor little daughter. I am of two minds about the incident. First, I don't condone physical punishment of any kind, especially on defenseless children, and I think that mother really needs help, but when I thought about it a little bit more, it made me wonder about our privacy, or maybe I should say our lack of it. I feel that if there are video cameras in parking lots, where else are they? I don't like the idea of being watched without knowing about it. 1984 anyone? Who is Big Brother and where is he?

Birthday celebrants for the upcoming week include Harold Gibbs on the 27th; Charlie Mills, Jonathan Merrill and David Belanger on the 28th; Drew Hutchins, P.J. Farrington, Michael Shaw and Marcia Chastanet on the 29th; Raymond Herrick Jr. and Scott Emery on the 30th; Ann Marie Kneeland on the 1st; Russell Palmer on the 2nd; and Keith Farrington and Pam Berry on the 3rd. Anniversaries: Bev and Bill Swan on the 27th, Rachel and Bobby Richardson on the 28th, Dr. and Mrs. Alan Chastanet and Jen and Rob Dixon on the 29th, and Estella and Harold Gibbs, Ilene and Paul Trainor and Karen and Dale

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The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard
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In the last two weeks as part of a three part series I have explored some of the wacky laws that have been in existence for many years. All of these laws are still on the books throughout the country, but in most cases newer state or federal laws supercede the out-dated ones.

I'm sure there are some exceptions and the old laws are still valid or at least modified versions. A reader called me to say that the town of Bolsters Mill had a law banning the use of garden hoses. I would guess that came about during a severe dry spell and would only be enforced when water was in short supply. That does make some sense. Most of the ones mentioned here leave us wondering what things ever took place for them to make any sense at all.

A case in point is a law in Lexington, Kentucky that prohibits anyone from carrying an ice cream cone in their pocket. I can't imagine why anyone would want to have an ice cream cone in the pocket, but if that's something that they really want to do they should be able to do it. I don't think there should be a law against it.

In Seattle, Washington it is illegal to carry a concealed weapon that is over six feet in length. Without getting into the whole gun law issue, I will say that regulating concealed weapons is probably a good idea. However, anyone who is big enough to conceal a weapon in excess of six feet probably doesn't really need the protection derived from it.

The lawmakers in Gary, Indiana apparently felt that bad breath was something that people did need protection from. They passed a law that prohibits people from attending a movie house, theater or riding on a public streetcar within four hours of eating garlic. I think that's a good law. We all need to be protected from such heinous crimes.

In Arizona, if you are being attacked, you can only protect yourself by using the same weapon that your attacker is using. So, if someone breaks into your home in Arizona and goes after you with a chainsaw and you have a good selection of weapons close at hand, unless one of them happens to be a chainsaw, you

would be breaking the law if you protected yourself.

At least bank tellers in Louisiana are offered some protection because in that state it is illegal to rob a bank and then shoot the teller with a water pistol. I guess it goes without saying that shooting with a real pistol is against the law.

In Kansas City, Missouri bank tellers and everyone else are safe from kids wielding cap guns because it's against the law there for minors to

This column is the last in a three part series of some of these archaic laws that I have come across.

purchase them. However, they can freely buy shotguns. Does that make sense?

If you are going to North Dakota, be sure to take your shoes off when you go to bed, because it is illegal to lie down and fall asleep with them on. I don't know if that means that you can in fact lie down with your shoes on as long as you stay awake. I do know that in Minnesota it's okay to leave your shoes on, but I think you have to leave some other clothes on as well, because in Minnesota it is against the law to sleep naked.

You might want to keep your clothes on too when you take a bath in Virginia, because state law forbids bathtubs in the house; they're only allowed in the yard. In Pennsylvania you can keep your bathtub inside, but you better not sing while you're using it because that is strictly prohibited.

I didn't find any laws that prohibit singing in the shower, but I did find a law in Cheyenne, Wyoming that stated that citizens were not allowed to shower on Wednesday.

On a more local level, in Portland, Maine, shoelaces must be tied while walking down the street. With untied laces currently being very in with teenage boys, I can only assume that this law is not strictly enforced.

In Clark County, Nevada, an ordinance makes bringing a concealed firearm into the county illegal unless it is registered with the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department. However, in order to register a handgun, it must actually be brought into the police station, an action which is illegal until it is registered. Talk about your catch 22.

There are many, many more laws in this country that I'm sure you would find amusing, but before I end this series on wacky laws I want to touch on some in other countries. The United States is not alone in regulating the absurd.

In LeLavandou, France, it is forbidden for a resident to die there unless they own a cemetery lot. I guess you have to crawl over the town line to die if you don't have a burial plot. But what can they do if you violate the law; bring you back to life and put you in jail?

In Turkey, all married women must get their husband's permission if they wish to have a job, live wherever the husband wishes to live, and forfeit all jointly held assets if she gets a divorce. A woman could actually be jailed if she violates her husband's authority. There is a lot I would like to say about laws such as this, but that will be the subject for another column.

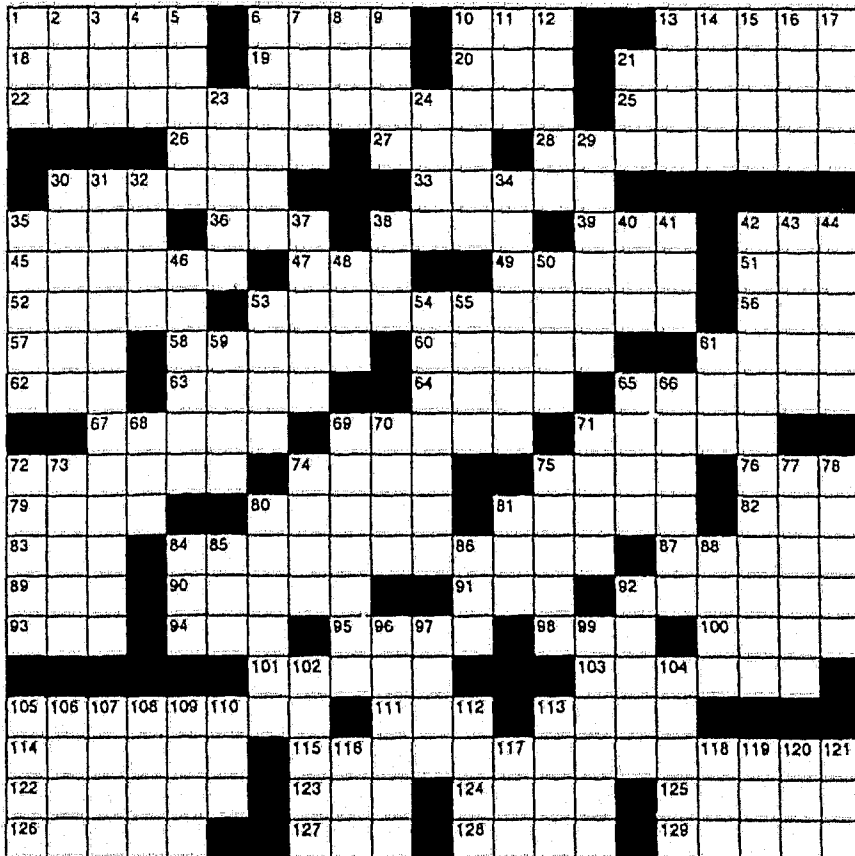
In Germany, a pillow can be considered a "passive" weapon. That can sure take the fun out of a pillow fight.

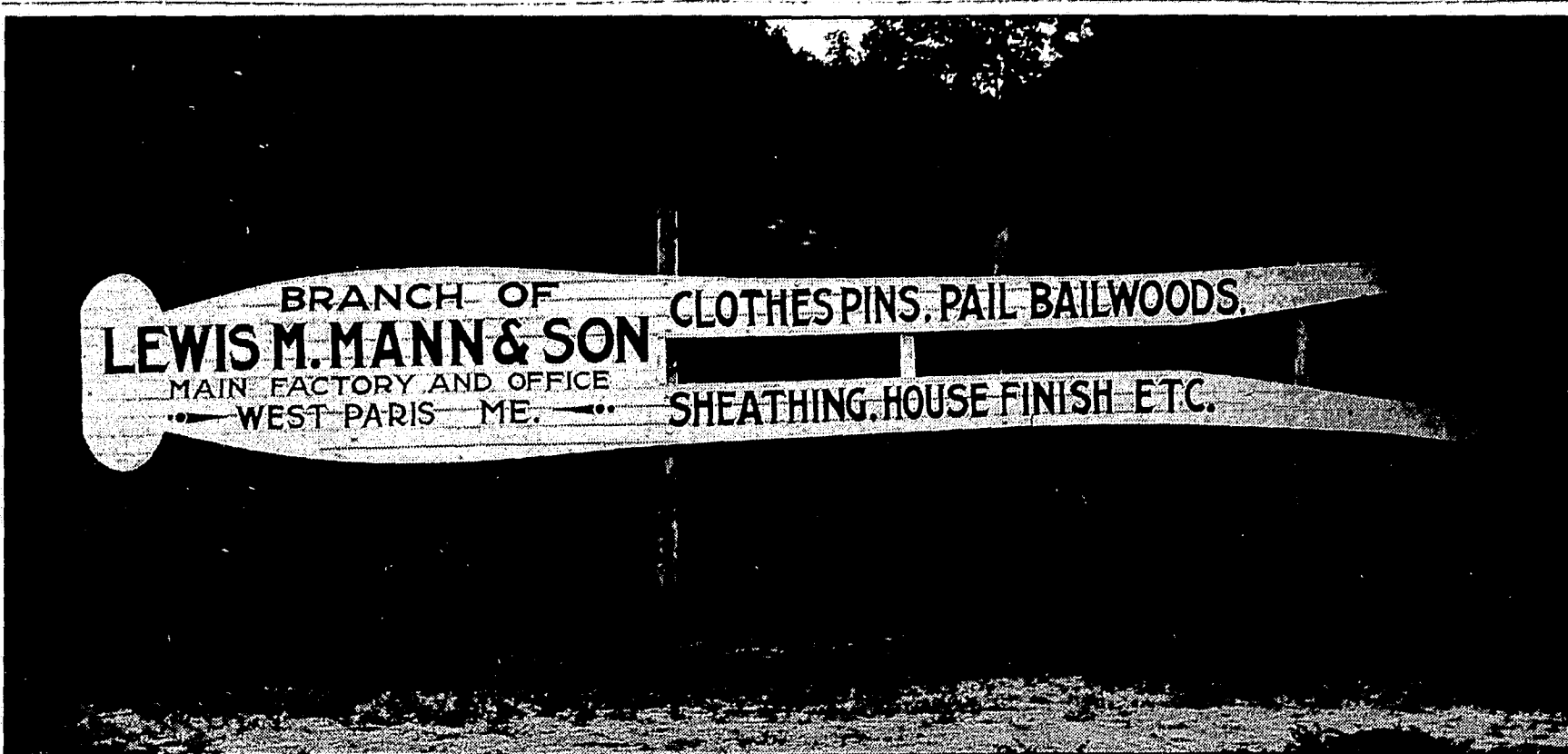
There are a couple of weird laws in Israel that don't make a lot of sense to me, such as it being forbidden to pick your nose on Saturday, but it is apparently okay any other day of the week. You also can't bring bears to the beach in Israel, no matter what day of the week it is.

I think I've covered quite a variety of wacky laws in this series and I hope you have had as much fun reading them as I have had writing them. If you ever think we are too burdened with laws in this country, just remember it could be worse. The way I see it, if some of these old laws that are still in existence were to be enforced, we'd all be a little wacky.

Super Crossword

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| ACROSS | 53 Dislike of a relative? | 89 Mythical monster | 2 Shiba — (Japanese dog) | 38 Maelen | 81 Triangular sail |
| 1 Williamson of "Excelsior" | 56 Branch | 90 Danger | 3 Mongrel | 40 Letters of desperation? | 84 Mimic |
| 6 The canton | 57 Swiss | 81 UK honor | 4 Pink legend | 41 Machine part | 85 Word with on or off |
| 10 Urban | 58 "Dawn" (73 song) | 82 Steven of "Exit Wounds" | 5 Bowe blows | 42 Kremlin | 86 — degree (somewhat) |
| 13 Get the lead out | 60 Moving man? | 93 Comic | 6 Charge | 43 Hawk's | 88 Skater |
| 18 Harden | 61 Strati-laced | 94 Louis | 7 Reform | 44 One of the | 92 Forms a |
| 19 Stallion's son | 62 71 Across | 95 Literary | 8 Lilly or Mintz | 45 Yokums | 96 Trudge |
| 20 "Agnes —" | 63 Support | 98 Edinburgh | 9 Command | 46 "Swinglin' School" | 97 Big rig |
| 21 Mason's tool | 64 Not quite | 100 Westover or | 10 Perry White, for one | 48 Claire or | 102 Employee |
| 22 Cal-show judge? | 65 Kevin of "American Beauty" | 101 Emit | 11 Meyerbeer's | 50 — impulse (suddenly) | 104 Ms. Midler |
| 25 Puts aside | 67 Renown | 103 Indiana river | 12 Huguenots? | 51 Across, landed | 105 With 51 |
| 26 Carpenter's item | 69 Board game | 105 Wood-chopping mishap? | 13 Art Deco name | 54 Centipede's sensor | 106 Lucy Lawless |
| 27 Cavity | 71 Casals' instrument | 111 Married | 14 Carol or | 55 Departs | 107 Shrew |
| 28 Model boat? | 72 Messenger | 112 Identical | 15 Crooked | 59 "My word" | 108 Land in the ocean |
| 33 MongOOSE's enemy | 74 "Younger — Springtime" (49 song) | 113 Use logic | 16 Trickle | 55 Medieval meal | 109 Action figure |
| 35 Bungle | 75 Exceptional | 115 Like a quick-fingered poker | 17 In addition | 56 Kindly | 110 Green's |
| 36 One of the Marches | 76 Be a buttnsky | 122 Chased rainbows? | 21 "For shame!" | 58 Panty item | 111 The — of the Affair |
| 38 "It I..." | 79 So be it | 123 Compelior | 23 "Sleeping with the —" (91 film) | 59 Aznavour | 112 Felco or |
| 39 White House grp. | 80 Wallace of "The Princess Bride" | 124 "Dix —" | 24 Carrol or | 60 Jaws joint | 113 Injury alter-effect |
| 40 Beret kin | 81 Type of orange | 125 — cotta | 29 Foul | 72 Wore | 118 Hard word |
| 42 Queen of mystery | 82 Bray beginning | 126 Stratum | 30 Chaim | 73 Abrasive substance | 119 Significant |
| 47 Tell it like it isn't | 83 Lion's tail | 127 TV's "Too Close — Comfort" | 31 Aggressive | 74 Bangkok native | 118 Gun the engine |
| 49 Winter warmer-upper | 84 A different place to get married? | 128 Deserve | 32 Genesis figure | 75 Poe crow | 119 New |
| 51 See 105 | 87 Newscaster Lesley | 129 Occurrence | 34 Suits | 77 Cover old ground | 120 Decorative vase |
| 52 Sluggishly | | | 35 Disgusted | 78 Ballows | 121 Tended a lot |
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READY FOR ANOTHER CENTURY

A 100-year-old sign that hung at the Lewis M. Mann & Son Mill, one branch of which was located in Bryant Pond, has been repainted and is now on display outside the Woodstock Historical Society. The mill in Bryant Pond is now the location of the Boiler Room condominiums. Mann and Son, which produced clothespins, had other mills in West Paris and Milton Plantation. As the sign states, the mill also produced pail bailwoods — a wooden dowel placed around the wire handle of pails to protect the hand. After Felix Otero-Otero repainted the sign white, Troy Jordan relettered it to match the original letters, according to Larry Billings, curator of the Historical Society.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

McKay on the 1st. Whew. The word for the week is "lapse." Look it up, See 'ya.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

We have just returned from two weeks in Cape Breton and Parrsboro, Nova Scotia. The scenery in both areas was wonderful. The mountains reaching the ocean on Cape Breton is something everyone should see in their lifetime. At the Kenney's home in Parrsboro on the Bay of Fundy we observed spectacular sun and moon rises, also the tremendous range of the tides.

On returning to Upton we were surprised that frost had not yet occurred. We understand that it was quite warm here. Ginny and Diane Williamson went swimming in the river on Sept. 22 and said the water

was quite warm. Tuesday, Sept. 24, was a busy day for the Ladies Aid. The members held a breakfast at the Balsams Hotel and a meeting in the evening at the Ladies Aid. Christmas baskets were presented to Lucille Largesse, Margaret Mitchell and Ginny Williamson, who will not be in town during the Christmas season. Members also discovered the identity of their Secret Pal. Gifts were exchanged.

The new handicap entrance to the Ladies Aid Building was completed by Larry and Charlie Lavallee. It is quite attractive. Larry and Charlie did a fine job.

Sue and Larry Nelson also traveled to Parrsboro, Nova Scotia for a visit with Jim and Evelyn Kenny, last weekend.

While in Canada we saw many geese flights and five bald eagles. Partridges on the roadside were plentiful and of course there were flocks of gulls.

Since we encountered many spruce grouse on the roadside, he will be the "Bird of the Week."

Known as the Crazy Hen or Fool Hen, the bird can be very tame. It is a very quiet bird and is said to have the lowest pitched sound of any American bird. The female clucks in a low tone. They are found in spruce and pine forests and around bog areas. Their range is wide, from Alaska to Washington state and Northern Canada to Northern New England. Nests are found on the ground hidden under low branches of young spruce trees. They lay eight to eleven eggs that are plain or brown spotted. Spruce grouse are found singly or in small family groups. Their food consists of buds and evergreen needles. Young grouse favor insects, which are eaten in large quantities. This chicken-like bird is dark with a fantail. The male is dusky gray brown with a red comb over the eyes. The throat and breast are black with spotted sides and a chestnut tail. The female is browner with underparts barred with brown. Shooting this bird is a "no-no." It is illegal.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Sarah Caret is working at Sunday River in the marketing office. Sue Farnham

just had carpal tunnel surgery on her left wrist. Also, she got a haircut at the new Teressa' hair salon in town. She was very pleased and said how nice it was there and how nice Teressa was.

Mrs. Neiberle had a recent computer shutdown and lost the hard drive. In doing so she lost all her programs, Web sites, favorite engines and so forth. Thank goodness for Doreen Johnson — she runs Web Roadhouse Computers. She set up the computer with all its programs. Then she had to start all over again putting in all those years' worth of programs and favorite Web sites and addresses. Mr. and Mrs. Tim Buck, new

owners of the Mollycodd Motel, introduced themselves to Mrs. Neiberle, and Fran (Mrs. Buck) asked her to spread the word that they have made some changes relating to the pool times and fees. They changed it to open at 6 a.m. so people going to work could come in early. The pool closes at 10 p.m. There are several new fees for the pool visits. They have package deals and gift certificates for the pool or for the motel. They would like to offer weekend getaway package deals, too. The Bucks are originally from Winthrop.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Bethany (Lowe) MacDonald, formerly of Woodstock, is stationed aboard the USS George Washington, a nuclear powered warship based in Norfolk, Va. The ship is deployed in the Mediterranean Sea. Bethany is the daughter of Charles Lowe and Carolyn Lowe.

Brandon Moore, who works for Woodstock Oil Company, won a trip to Graceland for his impersonation of Elvis. I believe he has al-

ready taken that trip by this time.

Annella Burnham and Joyce Howe took three of Joyce's grandsons to her camp for a short vacation. Annella had pictures of her great-granddaughter, Abby Mink. Annella has 10 great-grandchildren. They are all great looking children.

The standings for the North Pond Sailing Association summer racing series were: first, Margaret Mills; second, Sylvia Tonallini; third, Greg Cushman. They had a very nice dinner for past and present sailors at Sudbury Inn to honor 30 years the North Pond Sailing Association has sailed the lakes of Maine. Blaine Mills organized and ran the summer regatta for 30 years. He is known as the "Commandore" by the sailors.

Franklin Grange 124 met on Monday night, Sept. 16, for Agriculture Night, with 14 present. The charter was draped for Agnes Coffin. It was reported that the Hearing Clinic and Rabies Clinic would be held at West Paris Grange on Oct. 26 (Saturday). Flu shots are on Oct. 29 at the same place. It was voted to hold a Hee Haw Show on Saturday, Nov. 2, at 7 p.m. at the Grange Hall and to have a Public Hunters Supper on Friday, Nov. 8 at 5:30 p.m. The program was: opening thought, Thank God for the rain to nurture the crops; opening song, "This is My Father's World"; Andy Dewing from West Paris Grange spoke on Agriculture; Happy Birthday was sung to all with birthdays; reading, "Bless the Farm Dad" by Lucille Robbins; song, "Bringing in the Sheaves"; quiz by Bertha; poem by Bertha; closing

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thought; closing song, "Bless be the Tie." Next meeting is Oct. 7.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 4:45 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Patch the Pirate Club and Prayer Meeting are held at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday evening.

Beatrice Farnum celebrated her 90th birthday on Sept. 15. Twenty-one family members met at Alice and Ken Hoyt's for a potluck dinner. At 2 p.m., an open house was held with a total of 74 people signing the guest book. Beatrice enjoyed seeing so many family and friends. She received many lovely cards, also flowers and gifts. Thanks to all who came.

The Woodstock Extension Group met at Grafton on Wednesday, Sept. 18, at the Noyes-Swan camp. A delicious lunch of soup and sandwiches, etc., was enjoyed. It was a beautiful day for a ride and a good time was had by all. Nine members attended.

On Thursday, Sept. 12, the Book Discussion Group of Whitman Library met with Pam Chodosh, Albany, as speaker. She read a couple of her interesting columns, one of which is now featured in Down East Magazine (September issue), entitled "My Norway Neighbor." Next meeting is Oct. 10 with Sarah White on Indian Lore.

Donations at the Historical Society recently have been items on World War II veterans from Farrows Manor by Mr. and Mrs. Ken Farnham, who now live there. Curator Larry Billings has donated a tape, three magnets, an unusual tin, a Mexican cookbook, a collection of art and a trophy to honor the organization's accomplishments, an antique copy of the "Wizard of Oz." The society has built up its collections for some time and more will be added, but they are running out of space so donations will probably be fewer than before. At the September meeting, the following officers were elected: president, Olive Risko; vice president, Annela Burnham; secretary, Elaine Roberts; treasurer, Paul Billings; new trustee, Elsie Bonney; chairman of the board of trustees, Olive Risko; vice chairman, Annela Burnham; and curator, Larry Billings. A video on Sturbridge Village, supplied by Paul Billings, was shown. It described the village buildings and shopkeepers. Members admired the clothespin sign and the desk from Mansfield Packard. Curator Billings handed out a short newsletter. The program for the October meeting is another video on Sturbridge Village.

South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing
Pete Appleby was a lucky draw for an any deer permit this fall. Pete works daily, long

hours flagging on road jobs. He has been working as far away as Limerick. Pete is 73 years young. We don't get to see him as often as we'd like.

I missed putting in my news a few weeks ago that Carol Hall performed her first wedding ceremony for Sarah Hart and Phil Lynch in August. Carol did an excellent job and it was nice to have a friend of Sarah's family do the rites. I'm really sorry, Carol, that I left this out.

Richard and I have been busy painting a bedroom that really needed some updating. My brother, Phelps Poland, is going to paper the room when we get to that point.

I ran into Dick Ferland at Ketter's Pharmacy one day recently. Dick worked in the same agricultural office building I did when I was working, and I hadn't seen him for quite a while. He's looking forward to retiring in about a year.

Our granddaughter, Jessie Hart, stopped by for a while last week. Jessie and Kyle Komulainen have purchased a lot and moved into a home on Forbes Road in West Paris. They have been real busy fixing it up. It is looking real nice.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned you should treat your friends like family and your family like friends."

West Paris



by Bertha DeHaas
Last Thursday night, many of us again met with the selectmen re: the Mighty Stallion;

and due to a variety of situations, everything was put "on the back burner," so to speak, until some time in early October.

Later on Thursday night, Harlan Abbott, Mary Waterhouse Spear and I attended the MMA Regional Information meeting on Tax Re-



NISSU WINNER
Sandra Poland (left) of West Paris was the first-place winner in the Finnish Nissu contest at Oxford County Fair. She has won first place several years now. Second place went to her sister, Charlotte Wormell, also of West Paris.

form at the Norway Fire Station. The Maine Municipal Association is working hard to reduce our taxes. We shall set up a table to get signatures for this at all of our polling places on Voting Day. We need 42,000 signatures statewide to bring before the Legislature. Please come out and vote and sign this very important petition.

On Monday night, Franklin Grange 124 held Agriculture Night with Andrew Dewing of Greenwood as speaker. He spoke on Farm Safety, from working with animals to using chainsaws to working on tractors, plows, haying

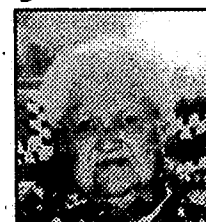
equipment, etc. Thank you, Andy, for making us think and be more aware.

Tuesday, Sept. 17, saw a large group of Christian Women United at the Country Way for a delicious smorgasbord luncheon followed by a most pleasant hour of music and yodeling by Ginger Dyer — a favorite of most of us. Thank you for such beautiful music, Ginger.

Take a moment to enjoy our fall flowers and the trees that are changing color here and there on the hillsides now. Drive carefully as school is open and more youngsters are out and about, and it gets

darker earlier now. Spend quality time with your loved ones and always tell them that they are loved. Never go to sleep angry at each other. Time with family is precious — treasure it.

Greenwood City



by Renna Curtis
Kimberly Kangas has returned to college at Landon State in Vermont. She has been home for the summer with her parents.

Leland Kangas and family visited his sister, Sandra and family, in Clyde, Colo. They have now returned home.

Billy Kangas has been working at Viking Motors this summer.

Lillian and Glen Strait of Pownal and Colista and Stephen Cogswell of Freeport visited us last weekend. They came with their campers. Saturday they went with Carl and Betty Curtis and Marie and Albert Curtis. They took Al's boat over to Kezar Lake for the day.

Marie and Albert Curtis are on vacation this week and have gone up to Moosehead Lake for a few days.

I just received word my oldest girl, Evelyn, is in Rumford Hospital but is being sent down to Lewiston for further tests.

Ann Payne went to Stratham, N.H., to a friend's wedding, Sarah Smith, who she calls her adopted daughter. Brad Payne went to the races at Loudon, N.H.

David Holt and Robert Holt were at their parents' home, Fay and Leonas Holt, for dinner Sunday. Leonas celebrated his 83rd birthday, which was Monday. Happy belated birthday, Leonas.

Ann Payne was down to see Colista Morgan recently. She is doing well.

We lost our power the night the wind blew so hard and it was off for nine hours. A tree blew over and took the wires down on our road.

When our crowd all got back from their boat rides, we had a feast of corn and clam dodgers, which is an old family recipe, everyone always likes it. It takes quite a while to make, but worth the effort.

Kathy Littlehale called on me one afternoon, always glad to see her. She is my niece.

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That's it from here this week.
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West Paris

by Miriam Inman
The Historical Society members had a potluck supper and meeting on Monday evening, with a small attendance. On Wednesday night the society is putting on a supper for Maine Municipal Association. The date of the next supper and meeting will be Oct. 24. Plans will be made for the Hunter's Breakfast on Nov. 2.

On Thursday night, the Florida crew enjoyed having supper at Market Square Restaurant. Those present were: Norma Colby, Kay Lawson, Jeannette O'Neil, Jim and Dottie Brown, Babe Hanson, Ben Grover, Pete Andrews, John and Mary Lloyd, Vern and Miriam Inman. The birthdays of Babe, Pete and Vern were celebrated. We were missing Phyllis Young, as she wasn't feeling well.

Peggy Lamb and Mike Seaton visited her mother and brother, Ken, on Sunday.

The Soapbox Derby races were held on Saturday with a large crowd present. The winners in the 7 to 11 age group were: first, Samantha Hill; second, Keith McDonald; third, Kaylee Millett. In the 11 to 17 age group the winners were: first, Jennie Cox; second, Ron Davis; third, Amanda Heath. Other participants were Johnathan Cook, Mike Church, Phil Harnden, Tyler Harnden, David Ducas, Haleigh Bonney, Cody Wilson, D. J. Curtis, Kurt Kilgore, Paul Harmon, Sabrina Cook, J.P. Stranger, Elaine Sessions, Kami Marois, J and Jared Deanis. I hope I haven't left anyone out. They all did a good job. A new gate system to determine the winner was experimented and found that it will need some major corrections.



We are glad that Betty Jones is recuperating at home after being in the hospital.
The dock at camp was taken out of the water on Sunday, so that it will not have to be done in cold weather. It makes it a hard thing to do, as we have to realize that summer is over. However, it was a gorgeous day. Wish it would last.

East Stoneham

by Eleanor Nelson
Hi readers. If I let the pickles and pies alone, will get this column written for you. Of course, things have to be sampled to see if it is good enough — right? I did get the green tomato mince-meat made, thanks to Merice Barker for the recipe. She gave it to me several years ago and I have made it every year since.

The Stephens Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Fall Members Luncheon is on Tuesday, Oct. 1, at 12 noon at

the Harper Conference Center, Ripley Medical Building. RSVP to Connie Shorey at 743-7039. I noticed that Winnie Clark has retired as the hospital gardener. She is a good friend of ours and sure does love her flowers and has always done a beautiful job with them. Happy retirement, Winnie, but I know you will still be busy.

Also, I hear that the Stephens Memorial Hospital Thrift Shop can use clothing or household items. You can leave them on Monday, Thursday, Friday or Saturday.

We have a new member in town. His name is Dawson Avery Walker Jones. He is the son of Joshua and Kara Jones and was born on Sept. 6 and weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces. His brother, Keagan, who is three years old, just loves him an awful lot. Grandparents are Deborah and Ervin Jones.

Tut's Store and Restaurant in North Waterford is closed now for business reorganizing. Hopefully they will reopen again soon.

Sympathy and prayers go out to the family of Phil Andrews of Fryeburg who passed away recently. He was a good man and was well known in this area. He will surely be missed by the Fryeburg Fair Association and everyone who knew him.

Have you people gotten your cider and apples yet? They are in season now. We got some from Fillebrown's today.

Barry Andrews has been working for Albert Nelson, Sr. this past week sawing wood.

Carole and Albert Nelson Jr. went to their camp at Wilson's Mills this past week. Amber went, too (his dog, that is).

GODDARDS CELEBRATE 50TH

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Goddard of Hanover celebrated their 50th anniversary earlier this summer at a surprise party. Family members hosted the event, which was held at Littlefield Beaches in Locke Mills where the Goddard family spent many wonderful summers. Their daughters are: Debby Luxton and husband David of West Bethel, Cindy Langley of West Bethel and Jane Goddard with Chris Gorham of Hanover. They have seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Mr. Goddard retired from Boise Cascade Paper Mill in Rumford and is a former member of the Hillsmen Chorus. Mrs. Goddard is an R.N. having worked at Rumford Hospital, Cozy Inn and Ledgewood Nursing Home and retired from the office of Dr. Royal and Dr. Gorayeb in Rumford. The Rev. Debbie Jenks, minister of the Rumford Point Congregational Church offered a prayer and a reading. The Goddard's niece, Nancy Fox read a poem she had written. Many friends and family members donated photographs for picture boards. The cake was made by Bridget Gorham of Conway, N.H. The Goddards reside in Hanover and Zephyrhills, Fla.

Albany

by Dana & Sheila Dyke
Hello from Albany Township. The weather's been fairly nice these past few days.

Of course, a little more rain would be nice. Just wish it would rain during the week.

Last Friday was the first Youth Group meeting of the season. The kids enjoyed pizza, sodas, snacks and a movie. There won't be a meeting this Friday, as this Friday is Hymn Sing over at the Pinhook Meetinghouse in Bryant Pond (on Route 232 on the right by the bridge). Hymn Sing begins at 7 p.m. We're hoping to see some new faces there this Friday. We always have a great time singing favorite hymns and listening to others sing solos. Afterward, we usually stay for fellowship.

Bible Study will be held on Thursday evening at the home of Holle and Fernand Corriveau, beginning at 6:30 p.m., as usual. We've been having some pretty good discussions lately. Some in the group may get a little discouraged when the conversation turns away from the Bible verses themselves and go on to discuss these in detail, but we've come to learn that that is what Study is about — not just memorizing a verse or two, but really getting in depth of the meaning behind (or even in front of) the words. We've all been enjoying the discussions.

On Saturday, Sept. 21, Bob and Janet Gould celebrated their 50th anniversary. We understand that

their actual anniversary date was the 20th. Bob and Janet's kids and grandkids got together and planned what sounded like a wonderful party. They had old school friends over to help with the celebration, and decorated the place in the style of 1952. Nancy told us that they even wore poodle skirts (she also told us that they have pictures). Sounds like a great time, and we wish Bob and Janet 50 more years together.

Last Sunday, residents and taxpayers of Albany Township met at the Town Hall to discuss the feasibility of having a Planning Advisory Board for Albany. After an explanation from Bill Strauss, followed by much heated discussion, it was decided that investigating having such a board was not something the residents/taxpayers of Albany wanted to pursue. The issue was voted down, and the matter closed.

The Youth Group will be going to the Rebecca St. James concert in Lewiston this Saturday, the 28th.

This Sunday, the 29th, the Rev. David Lloyd will be bringing his musical ministry to the Congregational Church. We are all very enthusiastic about this, as we have come to accept and appreciate that music is such an important part of worship. Edna York and Pastor Gammon tell us that he plays wine glasses, the marimbas, and other instruments. Services start at 9:30 a.m., and we are thinking that even the little ones who usually stay in daycare would appreciate this service. After services there will be a fellowship held in the vestry. The Rev. Lloyd does accept a "love offering" during services, and this is all he asks for compensation. We hope that everyone has a wonderful week. God bless and keep.

Reunions

CLOUGH FAMILY
The 10th annual Clough Reunion, families of Millard and Frances Brown Clough, was held Saturday, Aug. 10, at the Bear Mountain Village in Waterford. Twenty-seven were present and 18 were unable to attend. It was a beautiful day for swimming, boating, fishing, playing horseshoes and visiting. The picture albums were especially popular, as there have been pictures kept for every reunion for 10 years.

A potluck picnic was served buffet style with salads, chips, vegetable platters and dips. Don Rice and Doug Rice donated the hamburgers and hot dogs for grilling. Adam Rice assisted his dad with the grills. Donna Rice-Howe furnished home-baked beans.

The annual reunion cake, brought

by Ida Clough Bryant, was presented in honor of Louann and Gale Bell for hosting the reunions for years at their home in Norway. Those present were: Earlon (Lefty) and Mary Keniston, Bethel; Donald Rice, Sheldon and Jackie Rice with children Jaidyn and Dalton, Donna Rice-Howe and Arlene Howe all of Waterford; Adam Rice with children Bryenna and Michaela of Augusta; Ida Lee Bryant, George Bryant, Brenda Davis, Noelle Davis-Bryant and Amanda Frazier, all of Bangor; Doug and Sandra Rice, Justin and Sue Rice, Rachel Rice and Patrick Welch, all of Guilford, Conn.; Alton (Chip) and Barbara Howe with children Jiselle and Kayla of Old Saybrook, Conn. Those missing were: Sarah Rice of Guilford, Conn.; Bud and Shirley Cough of Ft. Pierce, Fla.; Karen Withee of Gardner; Shelley and Rick Rosignold and son Tim of Casco; Jodie and Damian Carona and children Zachary, Ebony and Darien Lee, all of Gray; Gale and Louann Bell and Jason Prescott of Norway; Matt and Jenny Corbett and daughter Emily of Otisfield; Joanna Prescott and David McClendon and daughter Devin Nicole of Hartford, Conn.

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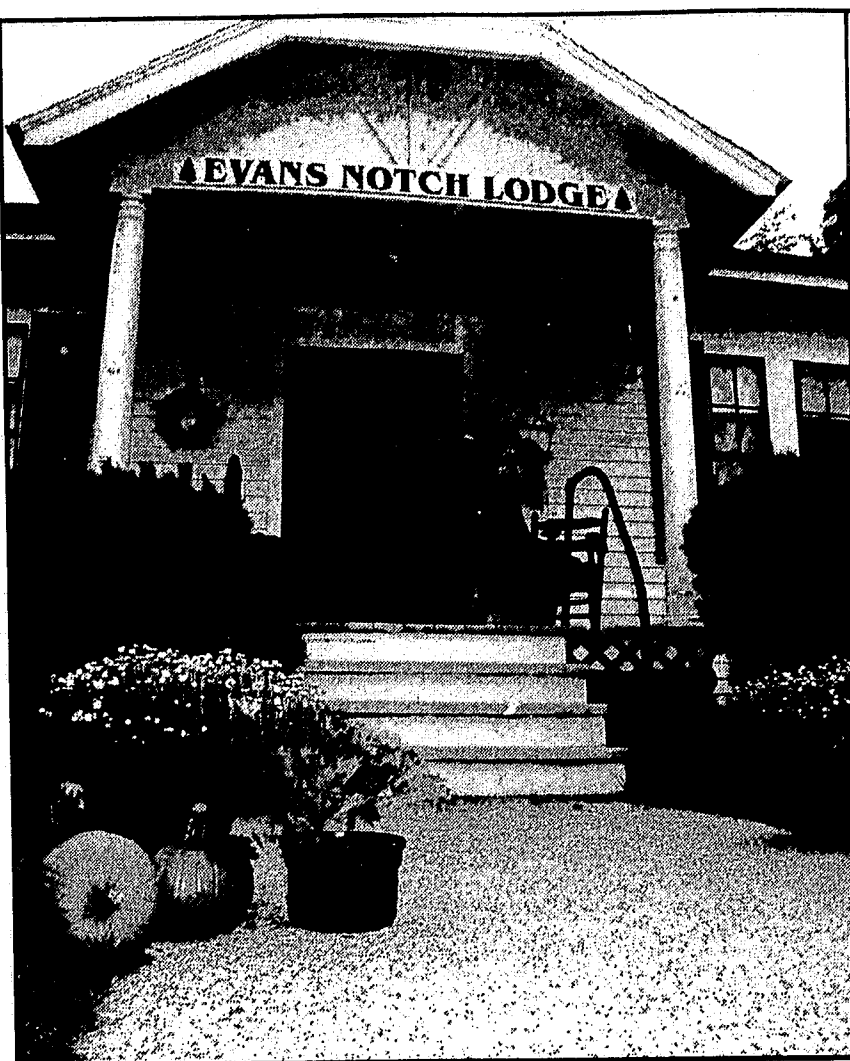
Another event is scheduled for this Sunday, Sept. 29. The new owners of Evans Notch Lodge and Cabins are hosting an Open House from 2 to 4 p.m. All are welcomed.

The chamber invites all our members to plan to attend our Annual Dinner and Meeting on Thursday, Oct. 24, at the Bethel Inn and Country Club. A reception will be held from 5 to 6:30 p.m. and the dinner and program will follow from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. The cost of the full dinner is \$20, with a choice of sautéed salmon medallions, marinated London broil and almond crusted chicken. An invitation with RSVP information will follow soon.

The 5th annual Bethel Harvest Fest and Chowdah Cook-off was a great success, thanks to our event chairmen, Al Cressy and Jette Black, our sponsors: Sysco Food Services, Sunday River Ski Resort, Bethel Inn and Country Club and Hancock Lumber, and our faithful volunteers: Jeff Sterling, Dave Freiday, Hank Messier, Dillon Gillies, Brad Jerome, Gale and Bill Tout, Sandy McDonnell, Cynthia Moran-Laux, Fran Buck, Marvin Collins, Sande and Jessica Parker, Mary Gale, Kim Baker, Kathy Thrall, Julia Reuter, Fred Nolte, Charlotte Marshall and "Q" Hamilton. We also would like to acknowledge the donation of tables and chairs by Gould Academy and the decorating of the gazebo by Pooh Corner Farm and Greenhouses.

We would like to recognize those businesses and individuals who "got into the harvest spirit" and built scarecrows or harvest displays: Maine Line Products; Mike O'Donnell, Esq.; Mayville Road Big Apple; Linda Clifford, Scottish and Irish Merchant; Shylyn's Tanning and Fitness Center; Tony and Amy Chapman and family; Mt. Grocer at Sunday River; Gideon Hastings' House; Bethel Inn and Country Club; Chadbourne Tree Farms; Brooks Bros., Inc.; Designs; Key Bank; Timeless Treasures; Maine Street Place; Stone Mountain Mortgage/Maine Press/Maine Custom Builders. There was no contest this year, as the chamber decided it was best to recognize the efforts of all who took the time to participate in this part of the event.

Friday's "kick-off" events were made possible through the generosity of businesses that were willing to host tours. They are: Bethel Furniture Stock, Hancock Lumber, Chadbourne Tree Farms, Timberlake Co.'s Mayville House and Briar Lea Inn and Restaurant. On Saturday, the White Mountain National Forest supplied Smokey the Bear; Ted Walker, chainsaw artist from Peru, donated a bear to be raffled off and provided a demonstration all day; the Pulp and Paperworker's Resource Council pro-



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EVANS NOTCH LODGE AND CABINS

It has been nearly a year since the Evans Notch Motel and Cottages in Gilead closed its doors. Now, under new ownership and with a new name — Evans Notch Lodge and Cabins — this historic hideaway, with its mountain views, is once again open for business. "We want to create a 'home away from home' for people who love the outdoors — hikers, cyclists, skiers and snowmobile enthusiasts," said Charles McSweeney, the new owner, who along with his wife and business partner, Marcia Polse, and daughter, Anne, have been making preparations for the fall and winter seasons. "Fishermen find this a great location, too, since we are adjacent to both the Wild and Androscoggin rivers," he said. Ginny Walker, long-time resident of Bethel and graduate of Gould Academy, is the lodge's resident manager and innkeeper. Walker has three decades of experience in the bed and breakfast business. Her goal here, she says, is to "create a cozy atmosphere that's fun for the whole family — and of course to provide great muffins at breakfast." "Evans Notch has a poignant history dating back to the logging days of Maine," says McSweeney. "Keeping that history alive and maintaining the beauty of this natural gateway to the White Mountains is an important part of what we want to accomplish here." There will be an open house at the lodge on Sunday, Sept. 29, from 2 to 4 p.m. (Photo by Allison Aloisio)

vided two puppet shows for the children and Don Murphy helped to organize the music on the gazebo.

The 3rd annual Sysco Food Services Chowdah Fest always attracts a huge crowd. Many thanks to the following restaurants who provided the delicious samples: Bethel Inn and Country Club, Briar Lea Inn and Restaurant, Legends Restaurant, The Good Food Store, Kit-N-Kaboodle, Liam's Restaurant, Mothers, Sudbury Inn and Mooses's Tale Food and Ale. Congratulations to the Good Food Store for winning the judge's choice, "Chowdah Pot Award," and to the Sudbury Inn, who won the "People's Choice Award." Many thanks to our two judges: Brian Scheidegger and Paula Gillies.

On Sunday, avid volunteer Dillon Gillies led a 50-mile scenic bike tour of the Bethel area. Many businesses hosted their own special harvest events and we'd like to thank them for their participation. It is the chamber's goal to create a fun-filled weekend of harvest events for the entire community and our visitors to enjoy. It is our hope to have accomplished that and invite anyone who would like to add an event, or participate in the planning for next year's festival to call the chamber office or board member, Al Cressy.

From the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

A steady flow of visitors attended the annual Apple/Pumpkin Festival at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center on Saturday, Sept. 21. Pumpkin whoopie pies were on sale. Grace McKivergan made applesauce with a kettle over an open fire. Stan Howe pressed apple cider. Visitors rocked in the antique rocking chairs on the side porch of the Robinson House while helping themselves to applesauce, cider, coffee and of course whoopie pies. Amy Davis hosted tours at the Dr. Moses Mason House. Jean Owen operated the

museum shop and all the exhibits were open for the afternoon. Many thanks to all those who made pumpkin whoopie pies for this event, which was part of the Harvest Fest celebration on the Bethel Common.

State DAR Grant

A \$1,500 grant from the Maine Daughters of the American Revolution was presented to Dr. Stanley R. Howe, executive director of the Bethel Historical Society, at their annual meeting held in Augusta by Polly Bartow of Oufield, State Regent. The grant will be used to fund a new exhibit, "Molly Ockett and Her World," which will open in 2004 and run for several years at the society's Regional History Center on Broad Street.

Making use of photographs, artifacts, paintings, and written text, this exhibit will tell the story of Molly Ockett and the world in

which she lived from the time of her birth around 1740 to her death in 1816. Appropriately, the major exhibit will be installed in the "Molly Ockett Gallery" of the society's Robinson House, where a plaque honoring this well-known Indian mentions her roles as a "Pigwacket healer, artisan, hunter, story-teller, and stalwart friend of the settlers of this region and this town."

Born on a point of land below the falls at Saco, Molly Ockett has the distinction of being the best-known individual from the local past in the mind of the average resident of western Maine. Baptized "Marie Agathe," Molly Ockett lived among the white settlers of such towns as Andover, Bethel, Fryeburg, and Paris in the eighteenth

and nineteenth centuries. Many are familiar with the fact that she is honored annually at Bethel's "Molly Ockett Day" celebration, and her name is connected with numerous geographic landmarks, business ventures, and community organizations — the latter group including the "Molly Ockett Chapter DAR," which has already shown its support of the society through the gift of a large exhibit case for the Molly Ockett Gallery.

Throughout the years since her death in 1816, Molly Ockett has become a legendary figure, the subject of fireside story telling, school pageants, and popular magazine articles. The "Indian mystique," complete with romance, curses, buried treasures, and near-miraculous cures, has insured Molly Ockett's place in the consciousness of the region. But what of the real Molly Ockett? Tangible evidence, to be highlighted in the upcoming exhibit, exists in the form of her burial place in Andover, several decorated birch-bark boxes, and a woven and embroidered pocketbook made by her, as well as accounts of her activities recorded from the memories of white settlers. Both English and French colonial records also provide a basis for the many popular and often re-told stories. Through the use of these sources and others, the society hopes in its displays to elevate Molly Ockett from the realm of myth and legend to the status of a documented personage in the colonial history of western Maine and the White Mountains.

Beyond its focus on the life of this well-known Abenaki, the exhibit, "Molly Ockett and Her World," will also attempt to address a wide range of topics and issues that were significant during her lifetime. Such subjects as Abenaki subsistence and settlement patterns, Indian-white cultural exchange, out-migration movements, the Revolutionary War, the settling of towns in western Maine and northern New Hampshire, and the famous "Last Indian Raid in New England of 1781" (which occurred in the Upper Androscoggin River valley) are just a few topics that

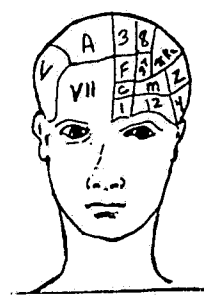
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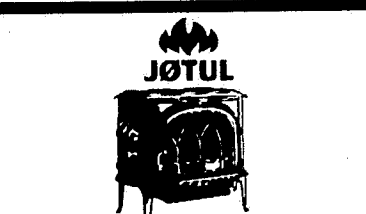
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will be included. Although the history of the Western and Eastern Abenaki of Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont is fragmentary and under constant re-interpretation, the society's curatorial staff is already at work studying recent scholarship, as well as older texts, on this subject. Fortunately, several museums in this region — most notably the Abbe Museum in Bar Harbor and the Maine State Museum in Augusta — have recently mounted excellent exhibits which help address some of the issues that this proposed exhibit will attempt to address. By expanding upon the life of the celebrated Molly Ockett, the society expects to create an exhibition that will attract wide interest from the general public as well as those searching for an accurate portrayal of Native American life during this important period in Northern New England history.



ANTIQUES FLOORSHOW—An Antiques Floorshow took place Saturday at the Middle Intervale Meeting House in Bethel, to benefit the historic preservation of the house. Kaja Veilleux, master appraiser from the Thomaston Place Auction Gallery, evaluated items throughout the day, providing information about age, history and value. Here, Veilleux inspects a painting brought in by Ginny Gamble, as Jackie Cressy and Lee Barth look on.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

From the Bethel Rotary Club

This week in Rotary, Presidential Re-run Al Barth ran the meeting and fellow Rotarians Cynthia Moran-Laux, assistant district Polio Eradication representative, and Assistant District Governor Bob Laux presented the program of Fulfilling Our Promise: Eradicate Polio.

What is polio? It is an infectious disease caused by a virus that mainly affects children under 3 which causes paralysis and can lead to death by asphyxiation. The virus enters through the mouth and then multiplies inside the throat and intestines. Once in the intestines, it enters the bloodstream and invades the central nervous system.

How is polio spread? It is spread from person to person via fecal oral contact and where hygiene and sanitation are poor. Children not toilet trained are ready sources of transmission. It can spread when feces contaminate food and drink and there is evidence that flies can passively transfer it.

Polio is one of only a limited number of diseases that can be eradicated because there is no animal reservoir and an effective, inexpensive vaccine exists. Immunity is life-long; there are no long-term carriers; and, the virus cannot survive for long outside the body.

Some facts and figures on polio include that the number of polio-endemic countries is 10. The number of cases of polio in 2001 was 480 whereas the number of cases reported as of April 30, 2002, is 51. The funding shortfall is US \$275

million. The campaign total as of July 1, 2002, is almost \$4 million. In 2001, 575 million children received two billion doses of oral polio vaccine in 94 countries with the help of 10 million vaccinators.

Inside Rotary: Congratulations to Jim and Jo Monahan. How 'bout those Nittany Lions?

The Rotary Club of Bethel meets Tuesdays at 7:30 a.m. at The Bethel Inn and Country Club.

From the Oxford County Democrats

The Bethel Area Democratic Field Office will be the site of an organizational volunteer meeting on Thursday, Sept. 26, at 6:30 p.m. on Spring Street (next to the Dance Studio). Mike Broderick and Ginger Kelly will be scheduling volunteers to staff the field office that will serve all Democratic campaigns including Shirley Powell for House District 65 and Lynn Baker for District 68 and Bruce Bryant for State Senate, Jim Theriault for Sheriff and Mary Ann Prue for Treasurer. The campaigns of John Baldacci for Governor, Chellie Pingree for U.S. Senate and Mike Michaud for Congress will also be using the offices throughout the county, located in Rumford, Paris, Buckfield, Bethel and Fryeburg.

Fryeburg Fair volunteers are still welcome. Contact Cathy Newell, 875-2116, if you would like to help out. The booth is in Expo 5 this year, handy to the pulling ring and

the races.

The Family Fun Field Day was held on Sept. 22 at the Stony Brook Campground in Hanover with 80 attending. Candidates present were: Rep. John Patrick of Rumford, running for re-election in Rumford, Milton and Woodstock; Marlee Turner, a candidate in Fryeburg, Brownfield, Stow, Hiram, Porter, Cornish; Lynn Baker in District 68 which includes Greenwood, West Paris, Norway and Waterford; and Shirley Powell in District 65, including Bethel, Hanover, Upton, Byron, Eustis, Rangeley, Weld, and the plantations of Coplin, Dallas, Lincoln, Magalloway, Rangeley and Sandy River, and unorganized territories including Albany, Madrid and Mason. Jim Theriault, the Democratic candidate for sheriff, was present. Chellie Pingree was expected to attend but the overcast weather prevented her plane from landing at the Bethel Airport. She was represented by a number of campaign workers and hopes to work in a visit to Oxford County later in the campaign.

NOW News

We're off to an exciting year as the new school season has begun. Each school's soccer teams have received the Tobacco Free Athletes materials. This is a program put together by the Bureau of Health to educate athletes on the dangers of tobacco. After signing a pledge to not smoke, each athlete receives a free water bottle. This opportunity is also open to community-based soccer teams, so if you've yet to receive these materials, please contact Project NOW.

Let's not forget that national Five-a-Day Week is this week, Sept. 22-28. Five a Day Week is for the promotion of eating five to nine fruits and vegetables per day for better health. So put those candy bars away, and pull out the carrots and apples for that afternoon snack.

Smoking Cessation class is going to be offered beginning Sept. 30 (see related article below). Are you interested in teaching others how to quit smoking? Call for details.

Recently, Project NOW staff attended a statewide training on creating policy and environmental change at the local level around tobacco, physical activity, and nutrition. Currently, each of our sub-contracted school districts have established Wellness Teams and Nutrition Advisory Groups to work on such issues. At the community level the Rumford Hospital Workplace Wellness Team is working toward creating a tobacco-free hospital policy. Of course, policy and environmental change takes time, but is well worth any and all efforts. Do any of you have an area where you would like to see a policy created in your community around tobacco, physical activity, or nutrition? We would love to hear any and all feedback you may have to offer.

Project NOW stands for Northern Oxford Wellness and is one of 31 communities that were developed from the Healthy Maine Partnerships fund. This organization is based out of Rumford as part of River Valley Healthy Communities Coalition. Project NOW's purpose is to educate others on the topics of tobacco, physical fitness, and good

SCHOOL LUNCHES: WEEK OF SEPT. 30

SAD44 Elementary/Middle/High Breakfast Program
Breakfast for elementary schools and Telstar Regional High School will be choices every day.

SAD44 Middle/High Lunch Program
Monday: Hamburger, double meat, green beans, choice of: ham and cheese roll, pepperoni pizza, beef ravioli, hamburger/bun, pbj sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Tuesday: Turkey sub, steamed broccoli, potato chips, choice of: chicken pattie, pepperoni pizza, beef ravioli, hamburger/bun, pbj sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Wednesday: Pizza stix, choice of: hot dog/bun, pepperoni pizza, beef ravioli, hamburger/bun, pbj sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Thursday: McMuffin, sausage and egg, has brown, assorted fruit juice, choice of: chicken pattie, pepperoni pizza, beef ravioli, hamburger/bun, pbj sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Friday: Cheese stix, pizza sauce, choice of: pepperoni pizza, beef ravioli, ham and cheese roll, hamburger/bun, pbj sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

SAD44 Elementary Lunch Program
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Wednesday: Pizza stix, kernel corn, choice of: beef ravioli, pbj sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

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nutrition. The surrounding areas benefiting from these grant monies are those towns in SAD21, SAD43, SAD44, and Peru. If anyone has any questions or comments, please call RVHCC at 364-7408 M-F or e-mail at rvhcc@gw.net.

Quit Smoking Program

You already know that smoking increases your chances of developing emphysema, heart disease and lung and other cancers. It is a scientific fact that quitting smoking, no matter how long you have been smoking, does decrease your risk of smoking-related diseases and it does improve your health.

Just five years after quitting, the risk of lung cancer decreases by almost half. People who quit smoking experience improved cardiovascular function, which means lower blood pressure and more energy. They also enjoy a renewed sense of taste and smell.

FreshStart is a support and preparation program designed by the American Cancer Society. The program consists of four, one-hour sessions and will be led by Sarah Coolidge. The program addresses reasons for smoking, methods and activities to help smokers quit and strategies to help them remain smoke free.

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ment is you, and your dedication to fight the addiction to nicotine that makes you want to smoke. This can be your start to a new life without cigarettes.

Class is being offered on Sept. 30, Oct. 3, 10, and 11, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. in Room 357 at Rumford Hospital. This program is free. Please call 364-7408 to register and for more information.

Do you want to make a difference in someone's life? Do you wish to help your community lead healthier lifestyles? Are you a former smoker who could teach others how to quit? If you answered yes to any of these questions, you're just who we're looking for to become a trained FreshStart facilitator. Not a big commitment is needed — just the desire to help others become smoke free. If you are interested, please contact Project NOW to find out when the next free training is being offered.

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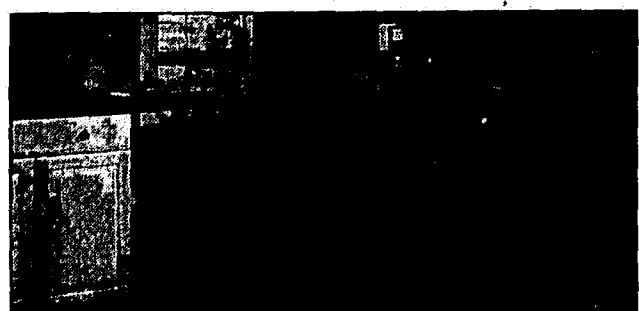
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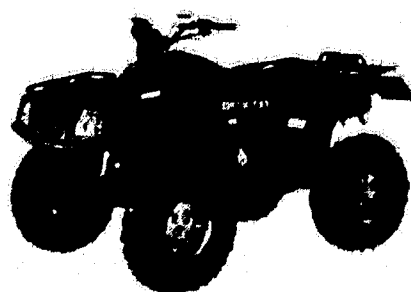
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School Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

Hyde 5, Gould 0; Sept. 21—Gould Academy played well in the heat on Saturday, but came up short against Hyde School. The team was able to create several scoring chances during the first half. Lewis Feuer hit the post with a shot and Dan Tutor was robbed by the Hyde goalkeeper. Greg Schroy made several key saves to keep the game close for the first 60 minutes. Unfortunately, the Hyde attack dominated the last twenty minutes, scoring four goals. Anthony Liberti, Kian Merchant-Borna, and Colin Boyd played well in the back. —coach Brett Shiffrin

Telstar 4, Monmouth 3; Sept. 21—Telstar's Kinsey Durgin scored three goals and Kurt Wight one in a win over Monmouth. Goalie Jeremy Benson had 11 saves.

Telstar 8, Jay 0; Sept. 19—Telstar's Wade Osgood had two goals and Casey Fleet, Kinsey Durgin, Matt Hamel, Alex Best, Mike Hoy and Adam Tanguay one each in a win over Jay. Goalie Jeremy Benson had two saves. The Rebels outshot Jay, 35-4.

Gould 1, C.V.A. 0; Sept. 18—Varsity soccer opened their season at home Wednesday with a hard-fought 1-0 win over Carrabassett Valley Academy. Dan Tutor scored the game's only goal in the 43rd minute (two minutes before halftime) with Zeke Davison getting the assist. Greg Schroy recorded the shutout in goal. Other notable individual performances were recorded by backs Kian Merchant-Borna, Drew Friedman, and Anthony Liberti. Freshmen Charles Parsons and Steve Keslin performed well in their first Gould action. Overall, it was a solid team effort to start the season. —coach Tom Whittington

Boys' J.V.A. Soccer

Gould 3, C.V.A. 0; Sept. 18—Gould got out to a good start when Fred Shin scored in the first half, and never looked back. Two more goals were scored by Haku Shimizu and In Jae Kim. The defense played well and Charlie Edwards was good in goal. —coach Travis Beauchamp

Gould 2, Kents Hill 0; Sept. 21—After a scoreless first half on a very hot day, In Jae Kim broke the tie about five minutes into the second half with what proved to be the game-winner. Haku Shimizu added an insurance goal, and the defense was again solid behind Morgan Rudd and T.J. Savage. —coach Travis Beauchamp

Boys' J.V.B. Soccer

Gould 3, Hyde 1; Sept. 21—Gould won its first match of the season, against Hyde School. Goals were scored by Tokumaru Ogawa, Sanggon Lim, and Nick Caldwell. The defense, led by goalie Billy Wood and Eric Lightbody, stopped the Hyde offense cold. —coach areth Kucinkas

Girls' J.V. Soccer

Gould 6, Hyde 0; Sept. 21—In their first game of the season on Saturday, Gould shut out the Hyde School. Heather Kelleher and Ryoko Arai each scored two goals for Gould, and Ashley Huntington and Maddie Cave contributed one apiece.

High School Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 7, Georges Valley 0; Sept. 20—Telstar goals were scored by Lauren Hart, Lindsay Hart, Kayla Mills, Ashley Stambolis, Megan Bailey, Krystle Gould, and Alanna Borst in a win over Georges Valley. Borst had two assists, and Gould, Santana Wilson and Lauren Hart one each. Goalie Heather Gionet had two saves, as Telstar outshot GV 22-2. "Seven goals by seven players — a great show of teamwork," said coach Gail Wight.



AN EASY WIN—The Telstar varsity field hockey team shut out Georges Valley Friday, 7-0. Here, the Rebels' Jessie Adams, in white, tries to position herself for a shot on the goal as teammate Krystle Gould looks on. (Photo by Allison Aloisio)

Jay 3, Telstar 1; Sept. 18—Lindsay Hart had Telstar's only goal in a loss to Jay. Kayla Mills had an assist, and goalie Heather Gionet made five saves. "The first half the team was communicating and laying well," said coach Gail Wight. "Second-half communication broke down and the team paid the price, with two goals scored by Jay."

High School J.V. Field Hockey

Jay 3, Telstar 0; Sept. 18—Telstar goalie Riley Gilbert had four saves in the second half as the Rebels lost for the first time this season.

High School Boys' Cross-country

Sept. 21—Gould seniors Matt Martel and Craig Angeovine finished in the top 10 in the MAISAD race in Augusta. Martel was sixth overall (21:10) and Angevine eighth (22:00).

Madison 40, Telstar 41, Monmouth 46, Winthrop 92; Sept. 19—Individual Telstar finishers: first, Fred Bailey (17:49); second, John Reuter (18:55); third, Andrew Farrington (19:07); 12th, Dustin Angevine (21:40); 20th, Dave Barton (23:14); 26th, Ryan Cross (25:54); 28th, Andy Aloisio (26:55). "Outstanding running by the team put a scare into top-ranked Madison," said coach John Applin. "Considering last week's 12-point loss to the same team, this is a moral victory."

High School Girls' Cross-country

Madison 26, Monmouth 31, Telstar no score; Sept. 19—Telstar's Sarah Gamble finished ninth in a time of 27:55.

High School Golf

Telstar 4, Hall-Dale 3; Sept. 23—Telstar's Errol Andrews (45) and Travis Brooks (44) won their matches as Telstar defeated Hall-Dale. It was the Rebels' seventh straight win. Brooks was the individual medallist. Telstar won the team medal by 181 to 191. The Rebels have now secured second place in the upcoming playoffs.

Telstar 4, Winthrop 3; Sept. 18—Telstar's Brady Chapman led the Rebels to a win with a 38. Travis Brooks also won his match and Brian Zinchuk and Jordie Walker also played well. Telstar won medal play by 172-175.

TMS Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 2, Jay 1; Sept. 17—Jay scored the first goal but Telstar's Kayla Damon came right back and scored to tie the game. The Rebels' Tara Lunney scored a goal at the end of the second half to seal the win. Kelsie Hanscom was the winning goalie with 6 saves. "Great team play by Julia Stambolis, Kara Thurlow, Caiti Shim Morgan Carver and Bailey Davis," said coach Karen Rosenberg.

TMS Boys' Cross-country

Kennett 36, Berlin 44, Littleton 54, Telstar 83; Sept. 19—Telstar's Lance Brown was the top Rebel finisher in 13th place in a field of 32 runners at Berlin. Other Telstar finishers: 14, Jim Gibson (15:53); 18, John Lewis (17:12); 22, Matt Lauro (17:41); 23, Andy Bryer (19:10); 25, Tim Aguilar (19:12); 27, Teague Morrial (19:543).

TMS Girls' Cross-country

Kennett 26, Littleton 45, Telstar 57; Sept. 19—Telstar's Brianne Bailey set a course record in winning a 21-runner race at Berlin. Other Telstar finishers: 11, Katlyn Keane (17:41); 12, Kelsey Gamble (17:53); 19, Elizabeth Meisner (21:04); 20, Amy Farrington (22:11).

TMS J.V. Soccer

Telstar 7, Mt. Valley 1; Sept. 24—Telstar's Andy Buck and Adrian Bouhot each had two goals and Danny Ojeda, Tommy Bordeau and Ryan Hannigan one each in a win over Mt. Valley. Charles Haines, Bryce Walker, Jen Aldrich and Devin Hughes each had an assist. "Great job in goal by Charles Haines and Will Barker," said coach Mark Kenney. "Excellent hustle and effort from April Bolstridge, Marty Donovan and Alex Gundersen. It was a great game and the team is really coming together well."

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10:00am Market Lamb Contest
11:00am Flower Show
1:00pm Ox Pulling
Dairy Goat Show
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Tractor Pull
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11:00am Flower Show
1:00pm Ox Powder Puff Pulling
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1:30pm Harness Racing - RG
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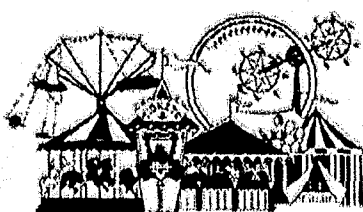
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Ox Pulling
Sheep Judging
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10:00am Wreath Making Demos hourly 'til 5:00 pm
11:00am Flower Show
12:00pm Skillet Throw
1:00pm Open Pig Scramble
Handy Class for Kids
Flower Show
1:30pm Harness Racing
2:00pm Horse Pulling
3:00pm Flower Show
3:30pm Horse Pulling
5:00pm Flower Show
7:00pm Horse Pulling
7:30pm 4-H Beef Judging Contest
8:00pm NIGHT SHOW - John Anderson



Thursday, October 3, 2002

8:30am Judging - Beef Shorthorn, Angus & Chianina
Judging Working Oxen,
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9:00am Judging Draft Horses, Ponies
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8:30pm Horse Pulling



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\$8 Saturday • \$6 other days
Children under 12 FREE!
Exhibit Halls & Farm Museums
open 9am-9pm

Friday, October 4, 2002 Governor's Day

9:00am Ox Pulling
Sheep Genetic Focus Show
Calf Scramble
Pig Scramble
11:00am 4-H Market Lamb Auction
4-H Baby Beef Auction
Flower Show
1:00pm Swine Judging
Calf Show and Sale
Flower Show
Fall Food Festival
1:30pm Harness Racing
3:00pm Flower Show
4:00pm Ox Pulling
5:00pm Flower Show
7:30pm Horse Pulling
8:00pm NIGHT SHOW - Ricky Van Shelton followed by Fireworks!



Saturday, October 5, 2002 Farm Bureau Day

9:45am Speaker - American Farm Bureau
10:00am Grand Parade
11:00am Flower Show
12:00pm Wreath Making Demos
1:00pm Horse Pulling
4-H Sheep Breed Classes
4-H Sheep Show Class
4-H Swine Show
Flower Show
1:30pm Harness Racing
2:30pm 4-H Fit and Show
Flower Show
Ox Pulling
3:00pm Flower Show
5:00pm Flower Show
6:30pm Horse Pulling
7:00pm 4-H Sheep Lead Line
8:00pm NIGHT SHOW - The Sauce Boss



Sunday, October 6, 2002

8:00am 4-H Pulling Steers
9:00am 4-H Sheep - Fit & Show
Scooting Contest
10:00am 4-H Beef Heifers
10:30am Open Pig Scramble - PR
11:00am Ox Pulling - Grand Sweeps
Flower Show
1:00pm Scooting Contest
Horse Pulling, Grand Sweeps
Children's Pet Rabbit Show
Flower Show
1:30pm Harness Racing
2:30pm Horse Pulling, Elim. Trophy
3:00pm Flower Show
5:00pm Following Races is 4WD Pull



See you in 2002 - Sept 29 - Oct 6

Television Listings

THURSDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 26, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	WWE Smackdown!				News	Frasier	Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Billboard Dad"				Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Scrubs	Will-Grace	Good Mm	ER	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Monk		Push, Nevada		Primetime Thursday	News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		Civil War				Maine	Charlie Rose		
(22)	Sportsctr.	College Football: Florida State at Louisville					Sportscenter			
(34)	Real TV	Real TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Movie: "Body Heat"					Star Trek	
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Survivor: Thailand	CSI: Crime Scn			Without a Trace	News		
(41)	Tailgate	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	"Regarding Henry"		Inside the NFL	Movie: "The Brothers"			Tuxedo	Real Sex 23		
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "The Other Me"				Even	Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Boy World
(18)	"New Jack City" Cont'd		Movie: "Get Carter"				Movie: "The Glass House"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: Red Sox at White Sox		ESPNNews				ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries	Like Mother, Like Son: The Strange Story of Kimes			Golden	Golden		
(5)	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Philadelphia Phillies						Movie: "Next of Kin"			
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Kids Say	Kids Say	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers
(25)	Backstory	Cinema	Movie: "Class Action"				Movie: "The Far Country"			
(26)	JAG		Movie: "Netforce"				Monk	Monk		
(27)	Real Story		Biography	Biography				Third Watch		
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "87th Precinct"				News -	Justice	Heat	
(39)	Crossfire		Connie Chung Tonight	Larry King Live			Newsnight-Aaron Brown	Chung	Moneyline	

FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 27, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	Movie: "The Crow: Salvation"				News	Frasier	Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Holiday in the Sun"				Alias		700 Club	
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Dateline				Law & Order	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funnies Home Videos	That Was Then			20/20	News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Wall	Keeping Up	One Foot	Boss	Time Goes	Charlie Rose	
(22)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter		
(34)	Real TV	Real TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.			Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.		
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	48 Hours Investigates	Hack			Robbery Div.	News		
(41)	Tailgate	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Inside the NFL		Movie: "Driven"				Sopranos	Mind	Curb	
(17)	Proud	Lizzie	Movie: "Toy Story"				Movie: "Toy Story"	Proud		
(18)	Vertical		Movie: "Proof of Life"				Movie: "A.I.: Artificial Intelligence"			
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	Outdoors	ESPNNews		ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: "Dead Husbands"				Golden	Golden	
(5)	Major League Baseball		Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at New York Mets					"Stripes"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Adven./	Oddparents	Chalk Zone	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "Brubaker"				Cinema	Journey-Center		
(26)	JAG		Movie: "Netforce"				Monk	Law & Order		
(27)	Real Story		Biography	Movie: "St. Elmo's Fire"				Lost World		
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"				News	Justice	Heat	
(39)	Crossfire		Connie Chung Tonight	Larry King Live			Newsnight-Aaron Brown	Chung	Moneyline	

SATURDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 28, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Days of Thunder"				News	Sanders	Entertainment Tonight	
(32)	Movie: "Au Pair" Cont'd		8 Rules	8 Rules	Life-Bonnie	Life-Bonnie	That Was Then		Some Kind of Wonderful	
(6)	Maine	Seinfeld	Spy TV	Movie: "Kiss the Girls"				News	Sat. Night	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "The Green Mile"						News	
(10)	School Zones		Civil War				Now With Bill Moyers	Red Green	Red Green	
(22)	Gameday	College Football: Teams to Be Announced					Sportscenter			
(34)	Rodeo: PBR		American Gladiators	Slamball			WWE Velocity	WWE Confidential		
(13)	Entertainment Tonight		Touched by an Angel	District			Agency	News	Andromeda	
(41)	College Football: Oregon State at Southern California Cont'd						NFL Show			
(15)	"Someone Like You"		Movie: "Moulin Rouge"				Sopranos		Mind	
(17)	Proud	Lizzie	Movie: "The Luck of the Irish"				Movie: "Model Behavior"		Lizzie	
(18)	Just Cause	Movie: "Space Cowboys"					Movie: "Shrek"			
(20)	Sports	Running	Outdoors	NE Journal	ESPNNews		ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
(44)	Movie: "Deadly Matrimony" Cont'd						Movie: "Degree of Guilt"			
(5)	College Football: Big 12/Pac-10 Game of the Week -- Teams to Be Announced						Movie: "Coming to America"			
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	All That	Nick	Amanda	Skeeter	Coach	Coach	Coach	Coach
(25)	Movie: "Brubaker" Cont'd		Movie: "Mad Dog and Glory"				Movie: "Once Upon a Time in the West"			
(26)	"Lightning Jack" Cont'd		Movie: "Back to the Future Part III"				Movie: "The Man in the Iron Mask"			
(27)	Cold Case Files		Nightline				Poirt		Poirt	
(12)	HappyDay		Movie: "Child's Play"				News	Fresh Fr.	Universal	
(39)	Capital Gang		CNN Presents				Larry King Weekend	CNN Saturday Night	Capital Gang	

SUNDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 29, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	With Friends		Movie: "Amos & Andrew"				News	Sanders	70s Show	Hot Ticket
(32)	Alias		Alias				Movie: "Down Periscope"		World's-Magic	
(6)	Dateline		American Dreams				Boontown	News	Hot Ticket	
(8)	Movie: "Prince William"						Practice	News	Buffy	
(10)	Monarch of the Glen		Teaching With Me				Nature	Copenhagen		
(22)	Sportsctr.	NFL Primetime	NFL Football: Minnesota Vikings at Seattle Seahawks						Sportsctr.	
(34)	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.	Oblivious	Ultimate		Fame for 15	Conspiracy	Real TV	Real TV
(13)	NFL	60 Minutes					Movie: "Mission: Impossible 2"		News	Friends
(41)	Boxing: Sunday		Beyond the Glory				See This	See This	Beyond the Glory	
(15)	"Quiz Show" Cont'd		Six Feet Under				Sopranos	Curb	Mind	Movie: "Evolution"
(17)	Proud	Lizzie	Movie: "Get a Clue"				Movie: "The Thirteenth Year"		Proud	
(18)	"Finding Forrester"		Movie: "Colors"				Movie: "3000 Miles to Graceland"			
(20)	Fan Attic						ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	
(44)	"Cruel Doubt" Cont'd		Movie: "In a Child's Name"							
(5)	"Coming to America"		Movie: "Overboard"							
(24)	Taina	Ginger	Garcia	Nick News	Coach	Coach	Coach	Coach	Coach	Coach
(25)	Movie: "Sheena" Cont'd		Movie: "Mississippi Burning"				Movie: "Bull Durham"			
(26)	"Never Been Kissed"		Movie: "Six Days, Seven Nights"				Dead Zone	Law & Order		
(27)	Biography		Nero Wolfe				City Confidential	Third Watch	100 Centre Street	
(12)	Mutant X		Andromeda				Earth: Final Conflict	News	Replay	In the Heat of the Night
(39)	CNN Presents		People in the News				Larry King Weekend	CNN Sunday Night	CNN Presents	

MONDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	Parkers	One	Girlfriends	Half	News	Frasier	Frasier	Ent. Tonight
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Airplane!"				Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Fear Factor				Third Watch	Crossing Jordan	News	
(8)	Sports Rap Live		Drew Carey	Whose?			NFL Football: Denver Broncos at Baltimore Ravens			
(10)	News-Lehrer		Capitol Connection				Ken Burns American	Maine	Maine	Antiques Roadshow
(22)	Sportsctr.	Monday Night Countdown					Figure Skating: U.S. Championships			Baseball Tonight
(34)	Real TV	Real TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.				WWE Raw			CSI: Crime Scn
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	King	Yes, Dear			Raymond	Still	CSI: Miami	News
(41)	Sports	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Movie: "Houseguest"						Movie: "Baby Boy"			Ballistic
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Halloween Town"				Even	Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Boy World
(18)	"American Outlaws"		Movie: "Shrek"				Sharktank	Movie: "A Knight's Tale"		
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	Outdoors	ESPNNews		ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries				Movie: "The Wrong Girl"		Golden	Golden
(5)	Friends	Roseanne	Movie: "U.S. Marshals"						Movie: "The Quick and the Dead"	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers
(25)	Movie: "Brubaker" Cont'd		Movie: "Bull Durham"				Movie: "Hoosiers"			
(26)	JAG		Movie: "The Players Club"				Monk		JAG	
(27)	Real Story		Biography				Child Stars: Their Story		Third Watch	
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "A Vow to Kill"				News		Justice	Heat
(39)	Crossfire		Connie Chung Tonight	Larry King Live			Newsnight-Aaron Brown	Chung	Moneyline	

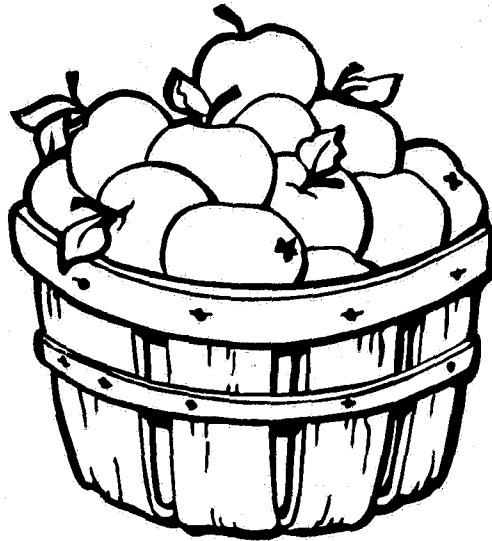
TUESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 1, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	Buff the Vampire Slayer				News	Frasier	Frasier	Ent. Tonight
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Untamed Heart"				Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	In-Laws	Just Shoot	Frasier	Hidden Hills	Dateline		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	8 Rules	Jim	Life-Bonnie	Less Than	NYPD Blue		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Nova				Over Alaska	Rise and Fall of Jim Crow	Charlie Rose	
(22)	Focus	Sportsctr.	Beg, Borrow & Deal				Off Course	Reporters	Season	Sportscenter
(34)	Real TV	Real TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.				Movie: "Showgirls"			Star Trek: Next Gener.
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	JAG				Guardian		Judging Amy	News
(41)	Sports	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Movie: "Dr. Dolittle 2"						Movie: "Moulin Rouge"		First Look	Sopranos
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	"Mom's Got a Date With a Vampire"				Teamo	Even	Sister, Sis.	Boy World
(18)	"Juice"		Movie: "A.I.: Artificial Intelligence"						Movie: "Cast Away"	
(20)	Ballroom Boxing						ESPNNews		ESPNNews	
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries				Movie: "Touched by Evil"		Golden	Golden
(5)	Friends	Seinfeld	Movie: "Fallen"						Movie: "Lock Up"	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	Movie: "Bullitt" Cont'd		Movie: "Dragnet"						Movie: "Predator 2"	
(26)	JAG		Movie: "The Waterboy"						Movie: "The Waterboy"	
(27)	Real Story		Biography				Cold Case Files		Biography	Third Watch
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "The Marrying Man"				News		Justice	Heat
(39)	Crossfire		Connie Chung Tonight	Larry King Live			Newsnight-Aaron Brown	Chung	Moneyline	

WEDNESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 2, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	Enterprise				Twilight Zone	News	Frasier	Frasier
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Some Kind of Wonderful"					Whose?	Whose?	700 Club
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Ed				West Wing	Law & Order		News
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	My Wife	Lopez			Bachelor	MDs		News
(10)	News-Lehrer		Great Performances				American Masters		Teaching	Charlie Rose
(22)	Sportscenter		Figure Skating: Katarina Witt: Divas on Ice				Cheerleading		Sportscenter	
(34)	Real TV	Real TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.				Movie: "Indecent Proposal"			Star Trek
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	60 Minutes II				Amazing Race 3	Presidio Med		News
(41)	Celtics	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Movie: "Charlie's Angels"						Sopranos	Curb	Mind	Movie: "Rising Sun"
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Under Wraps"				Teamo	Even	Sister, Sis.	Boy World
(18)	"Bad Boys" Cont'd		Movie: "The Mexican"						Movie: "Shrek"	
(20)	Golf: Dodge Shootout						ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries				Movie: "A Mother's Revenge"		Golden	Golden
(5)	Friends	Seinfeld	Ripley's Believe It or Not!				Worst-Case Scenario	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	Worst-Case Scenario	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	"The Bravados" Cont'd		Movie: "Predator 2"						Movie: "Dillinger"	
(26)	JAG		Movie: "The Jackal"						Movie: "Beyond the Mat"	
(27)	Real Story		Biography				American Justice	City Confidential	Third Watch	
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "Three Men and a Little Lady"				News		Justice	Heat
(39)	Crossfire		Connie Chung Tonight	Larry King Live			Newsnight-Aaron Brown	Chung	Moneyline	

Events Calendar



Public Computer Access — Hours at the SAD44 Adult Learning Center, Phibrock Street, Bethel are: Tuesday, 9 a.m. to noon; Wednesday, 4:30 to 8:30 p.m.; and Thursday, 9 a.m. to noon for academic instruction and GED preparation, as well as use of the computer lab.

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

9 a.m. — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Town and Country Mobile Home Park community center, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Northern Forest Heritage Park: Brown Company House, 951 Main Street, Berlin, N.H., free Scrimmage Art Exhibit by Michael Eastman and "Reflections in Wood" Art Exhibit, Monday-Saturday. Also, Wednesday-Friday, 3 p.m., Narrated Heritage Boat Tours on Androscoggin River. Adults \$7.50, 6 to 12 \$5, under 6 free. Reservations welcomed ((603) 252-7222).

Thursday, Sept. 26

2:20 p.m. — Workers laid off from Bethel Furniture Stock are eligible for retraining programs and are asked to attend a meeting at Telstar Regional High School auditorium, provided through the Trade Adjustment Assistance Program.

7 p.m. — Bethel Area Poets Society meeting at Black Bear B & B on Sunday River Road, Newry. All interested poets and poetry lovers are welcome. The group will read original poems and other poetry and critique each other's work. All welcome to attend. FMI, call 824-3427.

6:30 p.m. — Bethel Area Democratic Field Office, Spring Street (next to Dance Studio) will be the site of an organizational volunteer meeting. Mike Broderick and Ginger Kelly will be scheduling volunteers to staff the field office that will serve all Democratic campaigns.

7:30 to 7:30 p.m. — Open House at Crescent Park School.

Friday, Sept. 27

7:30 p.m. — "Stars of the Chinese Golden Dragons Acrobats" will be presented by Rumford Community Concert Association at Muskie Auditorium, Rumford.

Saturday, Sept. 28

9 a.m. — Memory Walk by Maine Alzheimer's Association starting and ending at Maine Veterans' Home, High Street, South Paris. Sign in at 8 a.m. The walk will be 2.5 miles. Teams are encouraged to participate. Call the Maine Veterans' Home (743-6300) for more information or a packet to start building a team.

8 to 11:30 p.m. — Old Time Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall, with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Bottle Drive at SAD44 Bus Garage. Call 824-2497 for pick-up no later than Friday, Sept. 27. Proceeds benefit Telstar Varsity Field Hockey.

10 a.m. to Noon — Under-planting Perennials with Bulbs at McLaughlin Gardens, South Paris. Part lecture, part hands-on workshop. Bring photos of your garden, gloves, trowels and dibbles. Dress appropriately. \$7.50 includes refreshments. Call 743-8820 for information.

10 a.m. to 5 p.m. — Fall Foliage Flights by Oxford Aviation at Oxford County Regional Airport to benefit Maine Children's Cancer Program. No minimum donation but hopefully everyone will be generous. Local pilots have donated time and aircraft to this event. Rain date: Sept. 29. For more information, call 539-4779.

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Fall Festival at the Washburn-Norlands Living History Center in Livermore. Admission: \$2 per person (free under two years). Hay rides are \$2. Tours of historic buildings and food from the grill priced separately. FMI, call 897-4366.

26th annual Dixville Races — Dixville Notch to Colebrook, N.H. Registration fee: \$17. FMI, call Karen at (603) 237-5501 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

8 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Free Breast and Cervical screenings available to women 40 to 64 who have little or no insurance at Rumford Hospital. To register (prior to Sept. 26), call (800) 350-5180 and press 1. FMI, call (800) 464-3102 press 3 or 373-7702 (American Cancer Society, Topsham).

7 to 9 p.m. — Holy Ghost Guerillas in concert at Bethel Nazarene Church, Church Street. Free. Love offering will be taken.

Enjoy the White Mountain National Forest and other National Forests and grasslands for free in celebration of **National Public Lands Day**. FMI, (603) 466-2713 Ext. 226 (Tom Moore).

Support Services

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services — Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info, call 207-743-7580.

Diabetes Support Group

The **Diabetes Support Group** meets on the third Wednesday of each month. The meeting is held from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the Harper Conference Center in the Ripley Medical Building. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Betty Sirois at 743-5933.

Exchanges

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday 4 to 6 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 671-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

Mental Illness Support Group

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional or physical illness, provides support, relaxation and socialization. Monday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday, 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 364-3549 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays or (800) 335-9999 off hours. 928-3222.

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

Veterans' Services (State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. Tel. 392-4841. (new members welcome)

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-5 p.m.; Saturday, 9-11 p.m. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11 a.m. October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Thursday evening from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. to the public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday & Thursday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday 12 p.m. and 4 p.m.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m. 674-2004.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story

Upton Library: Saturdays 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

10:15 a.m. — Dedication of Gould Academy McLaughlin Science Center.

September 28-29

Wilderness First Aid Course offered at Bethel Outdoor Adventures and Campground with Bill Frederick, instructor (824-4224). Cost: \$150.

Sunday, Sept. 29

7:30 p.m. — Jon Nakamatsu, pianist, American gold medalist, will perform works of Joseph Woelfl, Schubert, Mendelssohn and Brahms at Bates College Olin Arts Center Concert Hall. Admission: \$7/\$5. FMI, call 786-6329.

2 to 4 p.m. — Open House at Evans Notch Lodge and Cabins, Gilead. All welcome to attend.

Tuesday, Oct. 1

7 p.m. — Woodstock-Greenwood Public Hearing at Woodstock Elementary School, to inform residents of new expensive requirements to operate burn pits.

Friday, Oct. 4

7 to 9 p.m. — Creations in Space and Light, sculpture by Dennis Dreher and photography by Alan Day opens at Fare Share Commons Gallery, 447 Main Street, Norway and will be displayed through Oct. 26. FMI, call 743-2423.

Saturday, Oct. 5

11 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Fall Foliage Celebration at Northern Forest Heritage Park, Berlin, N.H. Artist and artisans demonstration, display of artwork and crafts sale. Apple pie contest. Music, exhibits, hayrides, river and logging camp walking tours throughout day. Cost: \$5. FMI, call (603) 752-7202.

9:30 to 11:30 a.m. — Book signing by Mary Alice Standard, author of "A Window into the Past," autobiographical account of growing up in Mississippi at Books-N-Things, Oxford Plaza. FMI, call 743-7197 or e-mail booksnthings@gwi.net

8 p.m. — Tiger Okoshi Boston-based jazz trumpeter and associate professor at Berklee College of Music, veteran of gigs with big figures like Gary Burton and Buddy Rich, brings his band to Bates College Olin Arts Center Concert Hall, Russell Street, Lewiston. \$7/\$5. FMI, 786-6135.

Oct. 5 and 6

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Yard Sale at Hanover Town Office to benefit the Gardner Roberts Memorial Library Moving Project. Call Vicky Fimiani (364-4080) for more information or sign up to help.

Sunday, Oct. 6

1 p.m. — Local musicians Kristen Short and Heather Pierson will perform a live in-store concert at Books-N-Things, Oxford Plaza. Both have CDs out. FMI, call 743-7197.

Tuesday, Oct. 8

5:30 p.m. — Supper/Dance at Jackson-Silver American Legion, Gore Road, Locke Mills, with supper at 5:30 p.m. and dancing to tunes of the Richard Felt Band until 9:30

p.m. Cost for the evening is \$6 for ages 12 and up and \$3 for those under age 12.

6 p.m. — Hanover Community Watch Meeting at the Hanover Town Office. There will be a special meeting with a demonstration by a State Police Canine Unit.

Wednesday, Oct. 9

7 p.m. — Book Discussion of "Charlotte's Webb" by E.B. White at New Hampshire Community Technical College Fortier Library in Berlin, N.H.

11 a.m. — Bethel Senior Citizens Club luncheon and meeting at Pleasant Valley Grange in West Bethel.

3 p.m. — Hanover Town Office Dedication. Everyone invited to attend. Refreshments.

Thursday, Oct. 10

7:30 p.m. — "Western Maine Saints: Early Mormons in the Bethel Area," a lecture by Mary Valentine at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center monthly meeting.

10 a.m. — Book Discussion Group of Whitman Library, Bryant Pond, with Sarah White on Indian Lore. All welcome.

Saturday, Oct. 12

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — 5th annual Bethel Antique Show and Sale at Telstar Regional High School will feature antique dealers from around New England. Open to the public. Admission: \$2.50 at door (\$2 with published ad in hand).

9 a.m. to noon — The Great Divide at McLaughlin Gardens, South Paris (743-8820). Bring labeled perennial divisions. Workshops on autumn gardening, dividing plants, preparing beds for winter, and pruning. Slide show on Rural Maine Gardens at 11 a.m. Spring bulbs on sale.

5:30 p.m. — Harvest Supper at Pleasant Valley Grange 136, West Bethel.

Sunday, Oct. 13

10 a.m. — 15th Annual Sunday River Summit Challenge, South Ridge Base Lodge. Entry fee: \$8 or with T-shirt: \$18. FMI, www.sundayriver.com

Wednesday, Oct. 16

6:30 to 9:30 p.m. — "Speak Out Rural Maine: Charting a Course for Thriving Communities" a learning forum sponsored by Maine Rural Development Council at University of Maine Farmington in the Roberts Learning Center at Lincoln Auditorium. Free. Beverages and snacks served. FMI, call 581-3260 or go to the Web site: http://mrde.umext.maine.edu/

Saturday, Oct. 19

5:30 p.m. — Supper/Dance at Jackson-Silver American Legion, Gore Road, Locke Mills, with supper at 5:30 p.m. and dancing to tunes of the Richard Felt Band until 9:30 p.m. Cost for the evening is \$6 for ages 12 and up and \$3 for those under age 12.

7 a.m. to 7 p.m. — Tour Mt. Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge, Mass., and the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Boston Mass., sponsored by McLaughlin Gardens, South Paris. \$85 includes transportation, tours and picnic lunch. Space limited. Call 743-8820 to register.

5 p.m. — Harvest Supper at Alder River Grange. Adults, \$5; under 13, \$3.

October 25 and 26

6:30 to 9 p.m. (Fri.), 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Sat.) — Bethel Outing Ski Sale at Gould Academy Field House. Alpine, Snowboard, cross-country.

Saturday, Oct. 26

Supper/Dance at Jackson-Silver American Legion, Gore Road, Locke Mills, with supper at 5:30 p.m. and dancing to tunes of the Richard Felt Band until 9:30 p.m. Cost for the evening is \$6 for ages 12 and up and \$3 for those under age 12.

Noon to 6 p.m. — Witches Brew, A Spirited High Tea at McLaughlin Gardens, South Paris. Come in costume. Reservation required (\$12) — 743-8820.

Church Services

Bethel

Bethel Alliance Church — Rev. Rick Mowery, 10:00 a.m. worship. Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. Evening fellowship and youth ministries 6:00pm. Sundays. Prayer fellowship 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays.

Church of the Nazarene — Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 for more info.

West Parish Congregational — Rev. Daniel Johnson. 10:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m. For more information call 824-8860.

Our Lady of the Snows — Mass — Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Pastor Father Maurice Lebel 743-2606.

United Methodist — Mrs. Betsey S. Webber, Pastor, 9 a.m. Sunday worship. Rainbow Church School, 3-5 p.m. Thursdays (all ages welcome).

West Bethel Union — 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school. For info, call 836-2844 or 836-2882.

Pleasant Valley Bible — Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 836-2828.

Episcopal House Church — In September, church will meet on the third Sunday at the Bohr's. For more information, call 824-2193.

Church of Christ — at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Worldwide Church of God — 10:30 a.m. first, second third (and fifth) Saturday each month. Services held in the dining hall of the West Parish Congregational Church. Contact: George Weber, 892-0779

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist — Rev. Peter Laitres, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15am; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15am; Morning Worship 10:30am; Choir Practice 4:45pm; Evening Preaching Service 6:00pm. Wednesdays: Patch the Pirate Club 6:30pm; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 6:30pm.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist — Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) — Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahosuc Mountains Friends — a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) — Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 for more info.

Andover

First Congregational Church — Pastor Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10am followed by coffee fellowship. Sunday School on Tuesdays from 3-4:15pm for children in grades K-5. Thursday, choir practice at 6:30. All are welcome.

Calvary Congregational Church — Pastor John O'Keefe. Winter hours: Sunday School 9:30am, Sunday AM worship 10:45am, Sunday PM praise 6:30pm, Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:45pm, Thursday Men's Discipleship 7:00pm, Friday Awana clubs: Sparks 3:30-5:00, Big 4 Clubs 6-8 p.m. Contact church for schedule of Ladies Discipleship and bible study groups. Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

Gorham, N.H.

Assembly of God — Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m. (603-466-2851).

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union — Rev. Deborah M. Jenks. Worship will be held at 10:00am.

East Stoneham

Oxford County United Parish — Rev. George Froberg. 10 a.m. worship; Sunday morning worship will be held at the Stoneham Congregational Church beginning August 4 and continuing through the months of September and October.

Newry

Newry Community Church — Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April)

Albany

Congregational Church — Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the church.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (5 Aldrich Ave.) — Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church — Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday Morning Service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Federation — Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service: 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) — Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church — 35 Paris St. Sunday services at 8 and 10 am; Wednesdays at 9:30 am. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

Rumford

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church — Mass, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Henry Male, Jr. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

Rumford Center

Praise Assembly of God — Pastor James Michaels. Sunday School 9:00am, Sunday worship service at 10:00am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00pm. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00pm. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church — Sunday service, Sunday School, 8:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

West Paris

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris — UU Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept.-mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist — Sunday Worship 9 a.m., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Adult Education and Sunday School 10:15 a.m., Sunday evening worship with Bible reading 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study, 7 p.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singing/Inspiration alternating between North Paris Federated and West Paris Baptist).

West Paris Congregational Church — Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

Harrison

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church — Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15am. for kids Kindergarten - Grade 12. Call 583-9024 or (207) 998-7040 for more information.

Sumner

East Sumner Congregational — Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

Monthly Meetings

First Sunday: Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April.

Greenstock Snow Sports Snowmobile Club meets at the Greenwood Town Office at 9 a.m.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club meeting at Newry Town Office.

Second Sunday: Western Maine Mountain Trail Mixers ATV Club meets at 6:30pm at Sun Valley Sports, 129 Sunday River Road, Bethel. New members welcome.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ST/BB at Bethel Fire Station.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday,

7 p.m., Bear River Station.

Franklin Grange #124, 7:00p.m., call 674-3046 or 674-3962 for more info.

Greenwood Planning Board meets at Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

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Woods Open Arm Wrestling Championships on Saturday, Sept. 21 at 1 p.m. Open to contestants 18 years of age or older, the competition will be held in the logging camp amphitheater.

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The Northern Forest Heritage Park is on the Androscoggin River, just north of downtown Berlin, at 961 Main Street (Route 16). The park is a nonprofit organization with a commitment to tell the stories of the working forest and to celebrate the region's diverse cultural heritage. At its eight-acre site, which includes a logging camp replica and an amphitheater, the park hosts a series of events, workshops, and annual festivals, such as the Great North Woods Lumberjack Show on Sunday, Sept. 22, and Fall Foliage Celebration on Oct. 5. The Museum and Artisans Store representing over 50 area artisans is open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday thru Saturday. For more information and a free calendar, call (603) 752-7202, or visit www.northernforestheritage.org.

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The G&W Solid Waste Committee
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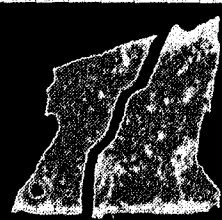
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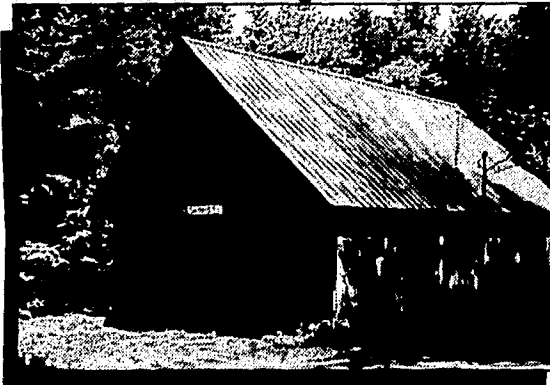
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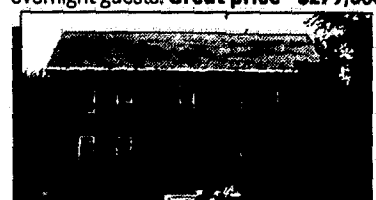
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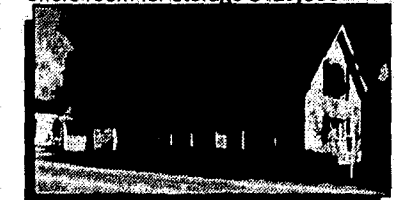
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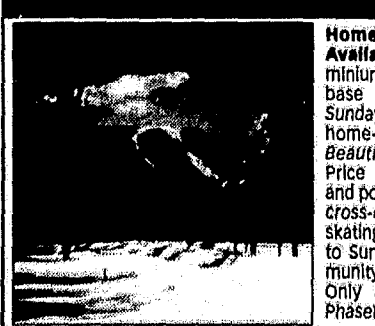


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Obituaries

DONALD E. PIKE JR

Donald E. Pike Jr., age 61, of Milton, died Sunday, Sept. 15, 2002 at St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston.

He was born in Rumford on Sept. 18, 1941, a son of Donald E. and Beatrice R. Farnum Pike Sr. He attended Rumford and Milton schools and Stevens High School.

Mr. Pike worked on local potato farms and was a life member of the North American Hunting Club.

He is survived by his wife, Annette (Robichaud) Pike of Rumford; six sons, Ernest Pare of Rumford Point, Donald Pike, III of Connecticut, Russell Pike of Rumford, Clay Pike of West Bethel, Dalton Pike of Rumford and Joshua Robichaud of Rumford; two daughters, Dawn Pike and Ellen Robichaud both of Rumford; one brother, Ronald of Rumford; four sisters, Lorenda Noyes of Dixfield, Lori Pulsifer of Rumford, Fern Benson of New Mexico and Jeannie Batchelder of Harrison; and several grandchildren. He was predeceased by a daughter, Tina Louise Pike in 1970.

Services will be held at the convenience of the family.

JOHN O. COURTNEY

John Orville Courtney, 64, died Tuesday, Sept. 24, 2002 in Lewiston.

He was born in Newtown, Pa., the son of John Ackors and Mary Helms (Ward) Courtney. He was educated in Oneonta, N.Y. schools and graduated from Broome Technical College in Binghamton, N.Y. He had been employed as an electronics engineer most of his life.

He married Lynn Mason on Dec. 24, 1995.

He was an avid skier, loved model railroads and his dogs, Addie and Hannah. He was recently elected to the Alder River Grange in East Bethel.

Survivors include his wife, Lynn Mason-Courtney of Bethel; two sons, John Louis Courtney of Oneonta, N.Y., and Vito Frank Courtney of Portland; one stepson, Jay L. Boschetti of Andover; one daughter, Sue Ann Courtney of Albany, N.Y.; one brother, Charles J. Kennedy Jr. of Wilmington, Del.; one sister, Polly Courtney Olmsted of Ashburn, Va., and two grandchildren John Douglas Courtney of Oneonta, N.Y., and Emma Goldberg-Courtney of Portland. He was predeceased by his first wife of 32 years, Pasqua Bagnardi of Oneonta, N.Y., on Aug. 22, 1990; and two sisters, Charlotte Murphy and Jeanne Bedia.

Memorials in John's memory may be sent to the Guide Dogs for the Blind, P.O. Box 151200, San Rafael, CA. 94515-1200.

DAVID L. BENNETT

David L. Bennett, 72, passed away on Aug. 7, 2002 at the York Hospital in York, Pa.

He was born in Boston, Mass., on Dec. 27, 1929, a son of the late Elmer E. and Patricia Mulligan Bennett. He grew up in Bethel and attended local schools, graduating from Gould Academy, Wentworth Institute in Boston and the University of Maine.

Mr. Bennett was a U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean War. He retired in 1994 from the former Industrial Risk Insurers, Hartford, Conn., where he worked for 35 years. He was a consultant for German Classic Cars in New Cumberland, Pa.

He was a member of the Experimental Aircraft Association, Oshkosh, Wis., and was active in restoring classic Porsches.

He leaves his wife, to whom he would have been married 50 years on Aug. 8; a daughter, Sandra L. Bennett of Harrisburg, Pa.; two sons, Scott D. of Felton, Pa. and David A. of Harrisburg, Pa.; two grandchildren; a sister, Joan Saxe of Freeport. He was predeceased by a brother, Wayne E. of Atlanta, Ga.

Contributions may be given in his name to the Maine Cancer Foundation, PO Box 553, Portland, ME 04112.

Births

Denise and Scott Jerome, formerly of Bethel, are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Alden Arthur, born on Aug. 11, 2002 in St. Peter, Minn.

Maternal grandparents are the late Arthur and Jackie Gauthier of Bethel.

Paternal grandparents are Ruth and Edward Kohout of Traverse City, Mich., and Jerry and Sally Jerome of Seattle, Wash.

Michael and Kelly Crockett of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Kory Dale, born on Sept. 20, 2002 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 11 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Frank and Suzi Harrington of Bethel.

Paternal grandparents are Lillian Brooks and Howard and Donna Crockett of Bethel.

Kory joins her sister, Victoria, age 2, and brother, Keith, age 4.

Card of Thanks

Jim & Jo Monahan thank all our treasured friends on the occasion of our 60th wedding anniversary. We appreciate all the good wishes and cards received in celebration of this joyous event which was held at the Bethel Inn and Country Club. Sponsored by the Bethel Rotary Club on September 10, 2002.

Weddings



Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Larriviere

On June 29, Laura Seames and Arthur Larriviere were married in an outside ceremony at her parents' home in Greenwood. A reception was held at the Jackson-Silver Legion Hall.

Sarah Seames, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Niece Elise Cobb and sister Lynn Cobb were bridesmaids. Flower girl was Jazmine Vera, sister of the groom, and ring bearer was Kobi Larriviere, nephew of the groom.

The best man was Mike Foreman, and ushers were Danny Kwong and Sean Pelish, friends of the groom.

Laura, the daughter of Ray and Shirley Seames, and Art, son of Rosie Vera and Roger Larriviere of Hollywood, Fla., are living in Weymouth, Mass. He is a college instructor and she is employed at Fiserv CSW, Inc.

Card of Thanks

The family of Eleanor Beebe wishes to thank everyone for their support during her illness this summer and since her death Aug. 30. The expressions of caring and sympathy are greatly appreciated.

Alison and Joe Aloisio

Card of Thanks

The family of Joseph E. Hebert Sr. would like to express their heartfelt thanks for all the kindness given to them before and after their Dad's death. Especially Togus Veteran's Center, building 207, 3rd floor for their compassionate and superior care, Andrews Funeral Home for their personal caring service, Father Maurice LeBelle for his comfort and Dad's funeral Mass, our dear family friends, pastor Lloyd and Dot Waterhouse for their love and support throughout our lives. American Legion Post #63 Honor Guard and Chaplain Hanscom, Praise Assembly of God for their food and support. For all who sent flowers, food, cards, calls, and paid their respects to our Dad. God bless you all.

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank my family and friends who helped me celebrate my 90th birthday. Thanks to each one who came to the party, sent cards or gave a gift. A special thank you to my daughters Alice and Leatrice and their families.

God bless you all, Beatrice Farnum

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